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GENERAL NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN

Another Scandal—Implicating Congressman Acklin

NEW YORK, Sept 30—The *Times* Nev Orleans special says The death of Harry Smith last evening brought Hon J H Acklin again into unpleasant prominence About three years ago scandal was rife on Bayou Teche in which Acklin and a young woman cor related with the Palfrey family one of the oldest in the state were implicated It was publicly stated that Acklin seduced her and then married her to his hostler to cover up the crime I is certain the hostler married her and brought her to this city and then deserted her Not long after a child was born Thaller was generally discussed and Acklin severely censured However produced certain affidavits from the girl and her mother setting forth that the alleged outrage was a fabrication The matter then dropped About three months ago Acklin and Smith had some trouble about a publication bearing on the Washington scandal Shortly afterwards Smith heard of the presence in the town of the girl above alluded to and sought her out She was in an impoverished condition and Smith offered her shelter in his house Shortly after she contracted the fever and died However according to Smith's statement, she gave him an affidavit and a statement, she gave him an affidavit and a statement to before a justice of the peace to the effect that Acklin had drugged her with wine and seduced her Last Sunday evening Smith told a *Times* correspondent in the presence of witnesses that he not only had that affidavit but others, clearly proving Acklin's guilt These documents he said he would produce before the democratic state central committee and make Acklin retire from the race On Tuesday Smith contracted the fever but was doing well up to Friday morning At that time a member of the democratic state central committee called upon Smith and, after reviewing affidavits that Acklin had obtained for his defence and asked Smith for copies of his charge. Smith became greatly excited, relapsed and died within a few hours before his death, however a justice of the peace at his own request it is said put all his papers under seal, in which condition they remain until examined by an administrator Acklin averred to your correspondent that the affair was an attempt at blackmail and has been considerable talk in the matter, and an examination of the effects is waited for with intense interest Smith claimed that the affidavits in his possession were partly forgeries partly obtained by hush money. The affair decidedly the sensation of the city at present. An attempt was made last night to get possession of the dead girl away from her mother-in-law at Smith's house but it was frustrated.

Indian Bureau and the War Department.

ST LOUIS, Sept. 29—Before the Indian commissioners to-day Gen Bussey of New Orleans gave his experience with Indians while in command at Fort Smith during the war He favored the transfer of the Indian bureau to the war department. Col Robert Campbell of the old ex-Indian commissioner, also favored the transfer Capt A E Woodston of the 5th U S cavalry, gave a long account of his experience with Indians, and was decidedly of the opinion that a transfer to the war department would be more economical and give satisfaction to the Indians

Fire at East St. Louis.

ST LOUIS, Sept. 29—Twelve buildings were destroyed by fire at East St Louis last night also a large lot of lumber one locomotive and several freight cars Loss estimated at $100,000

An Increase in Ministerial Morals

CINCINNATI, Sept 29—The Ohio M E conference to-day adopted the report of the committee on itinerancy Rev F A Spencer from the committee for immoral conduct and Rev J L Davis for unmoral conduct Notice of appeal in Spencer's case was filed Resolutions were adopted condemning the use of tobacco and requiring that all applicants for admission to the conference shall be free from the habit

A Damaging Statement.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30—The Brooklyn *Eagle* publishes the following about the rotten condition of the boiler of the *Adelphi* which recently exploded at Norwalk Wm Merritt, fifteenth street, a youth of 18, was employed as fireman on board the steamboat *Adelphi*, but left two days ago through a quarrel with a fellow fireman He stated that during the period he was employed as fireman he was in constant terror that the boiler would burst. One month ago he was engaged with the fireman John Holey in putting a patch over another patch, when they heard a hissing noise and both rushed on deck, the latter exclaiming I guess that thing has gone up this time' After a few moments they returned and found the boiler leaking very badly There were a number of passengers on board at the time, but they were at first too terrified to give an alarm and when they saw no explosion had taken place they concluded it would be the safer policy to say nothing about it During the summer season he and the other fireman were frequently obliged to work until 1 o'clock in the morning cleaning the valves and making constant repairs

Spread of the Fever.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 30—Trains on the Jackson road come in crowded with families from the lake shore watering places, the fever having broken out all along the line

Weather clear and pleasant Deaths for 24 hours ending noon 52, cases reported 261

From Baton Rouge.

BATON ROUGE, Sept 30—One hundred and twenty-five new cases and six deaths in the past 24 hours.

Election to Day in Colorado.

DENVER, Sept. 30—The election to morrow will probably bring out the largest vote ever cast in Colorado Three straight tickets in the field render any previous majorities of little service in estimating the result Party managers differ widely as to the probable effect of the greenback vote. A plurality is claimed in this state.

WASHINGTON CITY.

National Financial Matters.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29—The treasury now holds $20,366,060 in U S bonds to secure national bank circulation, and $13,358 400 in U S bonds to secure public deposits, U S bonds deposited to secure subscriptions to 4 per cent. bonds, $5,858,400, U. S bonds deposited for circulation for the week ending to-day, $750,000, U S. bonds held for bank reserves withdrawn during the week ending to-day, $687,000 National bank circulation outstanding. Currency notes, $8 21,782 - gold notes, $1,452,920, internal revenue, $1,403 customs, $537,631. National bank notes received for redemption for the week ending to-day compared with corresponding day last year (1877) $2,851 000, 1878 $4,- 000,000. Subscriptions to the 4 per cent. loan to-day $657,000. The secretary of the treasury has appointed a committee to examine and take an account of the special deposits

Wholesale Resignation.

LONDON, Oct. 1—*Pester Lloyds* states that the Hungarian ministry have resigned

A Minister Transferred

The appointment of Count Lodolski Hoyos present Austrian envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary at Washington to be the successor to Koumelia is officially announced

Will Want to Fight England.

A Constantinople dispatch states that Schir Ali has sent envoy of the ameer of Afghanis to Russia to claim the sultan's intervention

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

The Platform

NEW YORK Sept — The following platform was unanimously adopted

The Republicans of New York appealing to the history of struggle and triumph as a proof of their faith which with unbounded confidence in the high destiny of the nation they have always upheld in the principles of freedom make the following declaration

First That the citizen is sacredly pledged to payment of the principal and interest of the public debt and the faith of the government is a trust inviolable and sacred to be kept inviolate as the nation's life Under the management of tried statesmen and financiers the country has advanced to a point of unexampled prosperity which requires the highest interest of the nation that no step backward and no less than the highest degree of the republic demands that there be no step backward and no pause in the present march of financial progress

Second That the payment of the principal and interest of the public debt, the redemption of the legal tender notes and the maintenance inviolate of the national honor and credit imperatively demand the speedy return to specie payments and the immediate adoption of such measures as will secure that end at the earliest practicable moment consistent with the existing business interests of the country

Third That the platform and principles announced by the democratic convention which assembled at Cincinnati on the 22d day of June 1876 and upon the faith of which the present administration came into power have been shamefully violated by the failure to redeem the promises made by that convention to the people and by the open disregard of the pledges of that party to the country

Fourth That the resumption act of 1875 was passed by the republican party in pursuance of the platform adopted in 1874 and it was endorsed by a large majority of the people of the state.

Fifth Gold and silver coin and paper convertible into coin at the will of the holder should be the only currency of the country ready to satisfy specific payments and the honest payment of the public debt We congratulate the state and country upon the practical relative value of the greenback currency of the government with gold and silver and the preservation of the public faith.

Sixth A tariff for revenue no government partial protection which protected monopolies, some rule to fix and localize most jealously the powers entrusted to public servants, whether municipal, state or federal no centralization equal and exact justice to all men; no partial legislation no partial taxation official accountability rigidly enforced by all civil and criminal remedies no private use of public funds by public officers corporations chartered by the state should be always subject to state supervision in the interest of the people the party in power is responsible for all in legislation while in power economy in the public expenditures that labor may be lightly burdened and the laborer fully paid for his work uniform and equitable excise laws no sumptuary laws

Seventh That by reformed conditions of force and fraud the high old ideals and leaders the Republican party can lift and restore the nation's choice for the presidency and put in the chief chair at the city of Washington are cherished the people of that reform of political system which their ballots had demanded and ordained and in the selection of the standard bearer of the party that high purpose should be remembered

The nomination of Gov Robinson was applauded

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Constitutional Convention

SACRAMENTO Sept 28 Lodge Freeman Hale Grace Hilborn Hunt Laine Lampson Larkin Lavigne Mansfield Mansfield Mansfield

The Daily Ore

MONDAY MORNING, S.

FINANCE AND CO

Financial

SATURDAY EVENI

Legal tenders in Portland—b
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Silver coin—1½@1¾ per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—C
ing, 99¾ selling.
Silver—98 buy; 98¼ sell.
Trade Dollars—96 buying; 97
NEW YORK, Sept. 28—11 A. M.
Silver bullion 1,000 fine, $1 12
U. S. bonds, 5 20's of 1867,
103¾.
LONDON, Sept. 28. — Consols
94¾ account.
Silver—English standard, per
51¼.
U. S. bonds—5's, 108½; 4½'s, 1

San Francisco Produce and
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Wheat—Market weak and d
expecting lower prices, but sellin
for better prices. Milling, Ca
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extra to extra choice, $1 62½@1
Walla ex City of Chester, sold at
was offered for all, but was ware
Flour—Market quiet.
Barley—Market more active, b
Oats—Market active but at lo
Oregon sold as follows: Surpri
$1 32½; good clean but light, $1
Potatoes—Heavy receipts hav
sweets are dearer; quotable at $

ATLANTIC MARKE

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Od
@90½c per bushel.
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Wheat—
Wool—Quiet; holders firm, no
supply.

English Wheat M

LONDON, Sept. 27.—3 P. M.—
about 3@6d cheaper; cargoes
prompt shipment, very heavy;
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Quotations of good cargoes, o
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ment during present month and
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LIVERPOOL, Sept. 27.—Wheat
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10s 2d@10s 5d; red Am. spring
@3s 10d.
English country markets, quiet
French country markets firm.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.

PORT MADISON, Sept. 29.—A
Wave, San Francisco.
ASTORIA, Sept. 28.—Arrived—Bl
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Sailed—Rival, San Francisco.
PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 28.—Bk B
San Francisco.
VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 28.—Ar
dale, Yokohama.
PORT GAMBLE, Sept. 28.—Arr ye
San Francisco.
SEATTLE, Sept. 28.—Arrived—Sc
Rio JANEIRO, Sept. 25.—Cleare
nah Landles, for Portland, Or.
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Arri
hoe, Sydney; Nor sh Frederick
Am Legal Tender, Cape Sm
Panama.
Cleared—Am sh Ellen Munroe,
Br bk Geo Brewley, wheat, Liver
Hales, wheat, Marseilles; Am bk
Port Townsend; Fr bg Deaux
mouth.
Sailed—Am— J. B. Bell, Sa

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK

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Ophir—1005 shs $33, 35, 34, 34½, 3
Mex—905 shs 99¾, 99½, 97, 97½, 98
G & C—1930 shs $24 23½, 24½, 24
B & B—1115 shs $38, 39½.
Cala—1275 shs $14¾, 14, 14½, 13¾.
Savage—1475 shs $28, 28¼, 28½, 29
Con Va—1610 shs $13¾, 13½, 13¾.
Chollar—435 shs $70, 69, 67, 66, 68½
H & N—1010 shs $38, 38½, 37¾.
Point—810 shs $10¼, 10¾, 11, 10
Jacket—1065 shs $30, 31½, 31, 31½.
Imperial—7310 shs $1 09, 1 05.
Kentuck—330 shs 8¼, 8½.
Alpha—1250 shs $21, 20¾, 20, 20¼.
Belcher—1235 shs $11¼, 11¾, 11¾.
Confidence—360 shs $12¾, 12¾, 12¾
S Nev—255 shs $260, 261, 263.
Utah—115 shs 55, 54½, 54.
Bullion—5785 shs $20, 21, 22¼, 23, 2
Exchequer—2880 shs 99½, 9, 8¾, 8
Seg Belcher—20 shs $42.
Overman—695 shs $24, 23, 23½, 23½
Justice—750 shs $10¾, 10¼, 10.
Sucker—150 shs $2¾.
Union—320 shs $190, 185, 190, 192.
Alta—1830 shs $17, 16¾, 16¾, 16¾, 1
Lady Bryan—460 shs 4½, 4¾, 4 30.
Julia—1065 shs $6¾, 7, 6¾, 7.
Caledonia—785 shs $3¾, 3½, 3¾.
Ballou—50 shs $2.
Dayton—150 shs 50c.
Occidental—50 shs $1.
N Y—125 shs $2¾, 2 90.
Phil Sheridan—210 shs $2¾, 2½.
Valley—1250 shs 40c.
R & E—55 shs $8.
Eu Con—410 shs $45, 45.
Jackson—765 shs $15.
Leopard—100 shs $1 20.
Belmont—100 shs 34¾.
Gila—1210 shs 40c, 39.
Bell—125 shs $10¾, 10¾.
Hussey—100 shs 45c.
Defrees—200 shs 30c.
Manhattan—620 shs 89½.
Prize—135 shs 85¾.
Argenta—100 shs 89¾.
Endowment—550 shs $1¼.
Navajo—900 shs $1 60, 1 55.
Independence—250 shs $3 10, 3.
Star—200 shs 90c.
Tuscarora—100 shs 10c.
Endowment—140 shs $1 45.
Bell Isle—1500 shs 50c.
High Bridge—1090 shs $2.
Modoc—60 shs 30c.
Bodie—225 shs $23¾, 23¼, 23, 23¾.
Bechtel—20 shs $1 35.

Letter from
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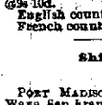

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Front Street, between Main

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STOVE EXTRAS, of all kinds,

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 1, 1878.

COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATURE AT THE SALMON HATCHING ESTABLISHMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Preparations were made, and invitations were given by the fish commission. The two governors were present, also the senate and house committee on fish and on commerce, and a few other guests. The distance from the Clackamas railroad station is four miles, and the road is fair. At the weir the single plank walk brings in view the schools of salmon striving to get up the river and bruising themselves against the rocks and poles. Above it are those trying to get down stream, having spawned at their upper haunts. During September and October the spawn are growing and ripe for deposit in the sand holes, which the fish dig out with snout and tail. Over these the mill flows, and in fifty to sixty days the young salmon is hatched. He is then seen swimming about with the yolk sac attached, from which he daily absorbs his food, until it is exhausted. Then his instinct to hide under the pebbles protects him from trout and other fish, which pursue and prey upon him.

NATURAL WASTE.

This is the natural process and it is very wasteful. It is estimated that 90 to 95 per cent. are lost. Every female fish deposits from 3,000 to 5,000 eggs in the sands along the shallows of the upper streams, and only 300 to 500 get to sea. Other fish hunt them and destroy them.

REMEDY.

Man steps in and stops the fish with weirs, seize and pen them up in yards fenced with stakes and wattles, as sheep washers do with their sheep, only the salmon yards are in the water. From these traps the fish are taken, stripped of their 3,000 to 5,000 eggs into pans, in which they float in the mill for an hour. Then they are taken to dark long boxes, holding 25,000 to 40,000 each, through which clear, cool water flows. Dead or unproductive eggs turn a lighter color, and these are picked out as fast as they appear. The ripe spawn is in size like a pea. It soon grows larger until the young fish appear and swims away.

The young fish after three months lose the instinct to hide from their foes among the pebbles, and boldly dart out in pursuit of prey on their own account. For this reason it is deemed a surer process to let them into the river between 30 and 60 days after hatching, that they may find their own hiding places.

SKILL AND CARE IN THE BUSINESS NEEDED.

Any hard usage would kill the mothes salmon and destroy the progeny. To force nature before her time or to use harsh pressure is alike cruel and destructive. Those in charge need to study closely and constantly the habits and exact months, and if possible, weeks, of these most valuable and royal of our food fishes. They should make their daily selection from the yards of those which give the signs of readiness for incubation.

THEIR HABITS.

Like our flocks and herds in the spring, or like birds seeking nests where they may lay their young, these welcome schools of sea denizens have been coming all summer from their broad pasture grounds in the ocean, laden with its richest food treasures. They have stored up a magazine of food within their own bodies for a long river voyage of hundreds of miles. They draw little or no food supply from these fresh waters as appears from their empty condition. Their oil storage seems to contain their entire commissariat, with which to nourish their three to five thousand eggs, and get force to stem the current, ascend the rapids, leap the falls and bear their precious burden of growing progeny to the extreme sources of the Columbia, two thousand miles from their ocean pastures. No wonder that the mother salmon gets thin and worn in this mighty struggle for months to carry her young to a safe nest in the shallow pools and under the shady banks far away from most of its foes! The wonder is that this mother salmon has any flesh fuel left on her bones at the end of such a voyage having given so much to her eggs on the why, as nature of food for her future progeny for months after she leaves them, and having also burnt up so much of it for the motive power of her own long voyage!

HER TREATMENT.

She ought to be treated tenderly when seized by the hand of man, and not as if in the paw of a bear, which beast eagerly watches at the head of streams for her coming in her noble mass on and devours her at sight. Her arrest on the way by the employes of the fish commission ought to be a mercy. Having finished her year's mission she ought not to be thrown into shallows among bushes and rocks, but gently borne to her bed of waters in the deepest channel to rest, regain strength and float easily away to the ocean to fulfill the same noble mission another year. A slasher a blow upon the stones in her helpless weakness is death, as the many bodies of these dead mothers along the river bottoms testify. We treat our choice flocks and herds carefully and kindly. We value them too much to let one of them or of their young die for lack of kind and wise care. But no animal of our pasture, yard or stable produces half the net revenue of one mother salmon.

HER PROFIT.

Suppose 3,000 of her 4,000 eggs hatch, and suppose 1,000 of these alevins or fry, live as parrs and get to sea in their second year as smolt, and return the third or fourth year, his school of 1,000 grilse, at 10 lbs each, from this one mother will give the canners at least 100 cases or $200 worth of fish. A large per cent. of this is profit, besides it makes the business sure, gives fixed value to the cannery and food at cheap rates to the millions. But catch or kill all the salmon and failure ends the business.

CAN THE SPAWN BE HATCHED?

This has been tested on the upper waters of the river Tay in east Scotland for 20 years and proved a success. It has been a success in the upper waters of the Humber—as the Wharfe and Don rivers in Yorkshire, England. Also on the head streams of the Danube, and within in six years in all the states of New England and the Cloud river in California, and a year ago about 600,000 were hatched in the Clackamas in Oregon.

CAN THE YOUNG FISH BE SAVED BY CARE?

Two or three witnesses will testify. Mr. Ramsbottom, of Clitheroe, says: "The artificial propagation has not only proved but settled this great question of the change of the parr on its second year into a smolt, and then of its departure to the sea; and this happens to those kept in the ponds as well as those left in the rivers."

Mr. Robert Buish, of Perth, in giving information regarding the condition of the parr and smolt of the Stormontfield ponds, states that of some hundreds of thousands supposed to be hatched about 130,000 took their departure seawards. Of these about 1,000 were marked by cutting off the small dorsal or adipose fin; several of these have already been captured on their return as grilse. The hope is entertained that for every marked grilse that returns 100 others (also original inmates of the pond) return with it.

It may not be easy to ascertain the actual proportion which still remain in the pond. If the original number brought up there amounted to 300,000, then the exodus consisted of not one-half. "One-third," says the Perthshire *Courier* of July 26, 1855 "of the original stock are still in the pond and, although the sluice has never been closed since it was first opened in May, they manifest no desire to leave it. In point of fact, with perfectly free means of egress, not one of them has left the pond since the general migration ceased at 7th of June last. Thus, while one portion of the same hatching are being captured in the river, beautifully grown grilses of four and twenty inches in length, another portion is still enjoying the shelter of the pond—tiny creatures, none of them more than three or four inches long." "It is impossible at present to say what the effect of superabundant feeding may be in hastening the process of development. I scattering quantities of boiled and grated bullock's liver several times a day into ponds has produced an earlier smolting, then the triumph of artificial rearing of salmon stock is all the greater, and the more assiduously should the process be put in practice. We know from observation that the increased rate of growth of young trout, when their native streamlet has been converted by damming up into a large pond, is sudden and extraordinary."

"The following is a note of the number, weight and sex of the marked grilse taken in the Tay up the 5th of August of the same season (1855) as that in which they were marked as smolts: July 7, 5½ lbs, a female, taken near the junction of the Earn and Tay. July 20th, 5½ lbs, a female taken four miles below Perth. July 24th, 5 lbs, a male taken 14 miles below Perth. July 30th, 7 lbs, taken below Elcho Castle and two others reported, but not transmitted for examination."

These were the Salmo Salar, common to those waters, *Anadromous*, that is the class which pass up the rivers from the sea to spawn.

The value of this evidence is to prove that the parr, or young salmon remain and feed in the rivers until they become smolts, and then seek the sea. But in their native stream lets trout and other fish pursue and feed upon them. They need the safety of a larger and quiet pond till their second year. They will then go to sea quick and strong and return the next or fourth year beautiful grilses, of 5 to 10 lbs weight.

A note is given of smolts marked in the river Shin, and recaptured as grilse on their first ascent from the sea: Marked 1842, April and May; 1842, June and July, recaptured as grilse, weight 4 to 7 lbs.

Mr. Andrew Young of Invershire gives a list of grilse marked after having spawned and recaptured as salmon, on their second ascent from the sea., Period of marking, February and March, 1841, and January and March, 1842—weight 4 lbs. Recaptured June and July, weight 9 to 14 lbs.; July and August, 8 to 12 lbs. He began these tests in 1837, marking them with a wire in the back in over the upper lobe of the tail.

"As early as 1865 the inspector of the fisheries in Norway was able to present testimonials from Dramself, Laugenself, and Mandalself in proof that the protecting laws and the fish breeding establishments thus introduced had steadily increased the yield of the fisheries during the last five years; to 1869 testimonials of twelve more rivers and lakes were added. With every year the satisfaction with these regulations become greater and greater in Norway. The failure of two of these establishments in Austria and France is thought to be due to bad water.

DO THE SALMON RETURN TO THE SEA AFTER SPAWNING?

Mr. Stone says they all die in the McCloud river, California, soon after they have spawned. But it is known that the smolts return as grisles and spawn—then go to sea and return again to spawn as salmon. What proof is there that salmon fail to go to sea and return year after year to spawn? Answer—So many dead salmon in the stream after spawning. Is not this due to injury among the rocks and rapids? May it not be change by care? Throw a salmon from the spawning into shallow water and it will be killed by the blow upon the stones. Place it gently in the deep channel and it will soon recover strength and swim away. Its noble mission fulfilled once and its power to do the same again demand this care of the fisherman.

These reasons and many more which crowd the mind urge the legislature to aid the fish commission in making this enterprise a success. G. H. ATKINSON

THE SALARY REPEAL BILL.

SALEM, Sept. 19, 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The unanimity and determination evinced by members of the legislature to repeal the judges' salary bill should have the effect to direct the public mind to the subject of a separate supreme bench. The repeal will be made solely on the ground that the act increasing the salaries is unconstitutional. The question of economy will have nothing to do with it. Many members of both houses who declare that under their oaths they will vote for the repeal, do not hesitate to say that the $2,000 salary fixed by the constitution is not enough. These men should feel no hesitancy in voting to divide the labor and expense of the judges between two separate benches. In other words, if the legislature is precluded from increasing the pay of the judges of the supreme court, as seems to be the opinion of nearly every member of the legislature, and which opinion, it is understood, is entertained by the governor, it is not precluded from relieving such judges from the expense, which is considerable, and the labor of circuit duty. There should be no objection to the election of supreme and circuit judges in distinct classes. The bill now before the legislature provides for this at the next general election. If it passes it will have the effect to limit somewhat the hardship of the salary repeal to the two years which intervene between the present and that time.

There are other considerations which urge the creation of a separate supreme bench, but the repeal of the salary bill will make some such action almost a necessity.

PUBLIC OPINION.

[From the Sunday Welcome.]

The events of the past week, in relation to the murder of the late A. C. Macdonald, reveal new facts which greatly aggravate the heinousness of the crime and implicates directly W. S. Chapman, in the conspiracy which led to his maliciously and falsely blackened Macdonald's character, an i which finally resulted in his being cruelly murdered by Chapman's tool, Mercer. The first step to this end was the sending of Mercer to San Franc sco to earn some evidence which might be construed to the injury of Macdonald. Mercer soon returned from his disreputable errand, bearing "notes" which were represented as having been furnished him by a Mr. E. K. Chapman, an attache in the Chronicle office and an intimate friend of Macdonald's. These notes were enlarged upon by W. S. Chapman and a series of long and abusive articles followed against Macdonald, and a number of small but virulent innuendoes and attacks were written in response to the answer made in the TELEGRAM, of which the following are fair samples:

"After a cool calculation of three long days—dog days, too—the unsophisticated intelligent has come to the critical conclusion that "just one step too far has been taken," and that in "louder" italics. Well, what's the step going to do?"

"If a man even thought his wife were insulted he would brook no delay in meeting punishment to the supposed offender."

"Oh, that the law should bind a noble, faithful woman to a slanderous, cowardly ruffian and braggart."

"How true it is that a barking dog don't bite and a blowing man won't fight."

With such persistent harping and goading Macdonald was scarcely left any other alternative but the one that he pursued, as there was evidently no responsible party to appeal to for a discontinuance of this libelous abuse. Mercer was the tale-bearing tool and Chapman the hidden assassin who upbraided and maliciously maligned Macdonald, which resulted in his being murdered by the infamous tool, Mercer. On the day of the open retreat, and shortly following, the editor had the audacity to proclaim Mercer as being justified in the murder, and left no stone unturned to place the position of himself in that of self-defense before the public, but without avail. Mercer was arraigned before Judge Adams, his cause ably plead by eminent counsel, whose words failed to better his case, and he was held to appear before the Grand Jury on the charge of murder.

Mercer is therefore held in the hands of the law, with a strong probability that he must ultimately atone for his crime. But how is it with his accomplice, Chapman? Mr. E. K. Chapman, of San Francisco, has learned with astonishment of the part in the affair attributed to him by Mercer, and he immediately denounced the story as far as he was concerned as a base fabrication, and having a brother residing here who compared the "notes," on which all this villeness was founded, with Mr E. K. Chapman's writing, it was discovered that the story intending to defame Macdonald's character was from first to last.

As the plot thickens and the true inwardness of the conspiracy is being unravelled, the editor of the aforesaid paper, in an article headed "Enough Said," attempts in vain to avert the index of guilt which public opinion has fastened upon him; and whines out that enough has been said about the Macdonald affair by the press, and we cannot here leave it to popular opinion for settlement, and to the law for redress." Not so fast, now, dear fellow. Mercer was your tool, and you must meet the disastrous affair. He has been properly held to answer for his part of the crime, and neither the press nor the public can now consistently let the fact of your abandoning Mercer in his troubles be sufficient excuse to leave you harmless. Your attempt to cast still greater odium on your partner, in order to release you from responsibility, will not avail; nor will enough be said until you are properly arraigned for defaming the dead man and using the language which led to the cause of his death.

[From the Dalles Inland Empire.]

Mercer, the man who did the shooting, is not the writer of the articles, but merely suggested the outlines to the responsible editor of that paper. What a noble partner must he be. Two men whose antipathy to a rival journalist could not be satisfied with attacks upon the man himself, but the mother and wife must, and a wife that must be dragged into the controversy. The whole of this affair becomes more conspicuous by its cowardice than any other feature. If the editor of the paper referred to had a grain of decency about him, he would have refused to allow the use of such a paper to be defiled with attacks upon a respectable woman, let alone writing it up at the dictation of the buzzard who "worked it up." As the case now stands, he will be shunned by all decent men for having spent because of sending one man to an untimely grave and like other of the pen-wielding, imitating worse. It is no wonder that Senator Mitchell (so-called) has been retired to a life-long obscurity with such an organ to defend his tottering cause. It must grieve their wives' honor and wish their children to grow up decent members of society, they will exclude that paper from their residences.

Hoodlum Journalism.

The other day the hoodlum organ contained this: "There is a link of a United States Deputy Surveyor in the upper end of this valley who will get a free ride from us one of these days, though it may not be complimentary." The Eugene *Guard* notices this, and in an article under the head of "Hoodlum Journalism," says: "This threat was made before the scurrilous attacks of the blackguard crew culminated in the murder of Macdonald. The probable author of this threat is now agitating matters of more serious importance to himself behind the bars of a prison. Whether he or some other individual of that defecta de race was the author matters not little, as any of them are capable of black-mail threats; but it is to be devoutly hoped that the bitter lesson now being learned by one of the unscrupulous gang, if it does not teach them decency, will make them more cautious in their indiscriminate vituperation of anybody who refuses to submit with the most abject servility to the arbitrary dictates of the ring. The gentleman thus catechised by the hoodlum organ, has been a resident of this county since his boyhood, and has been a life-long Republican, but is too honorable and independent to be made a packhumble for the ring-master, hence this hostility to him."

While Mrs. Hall, a blind lady of Chehalis station was bathing her little girl, the child ran across the room and climbed into a vessel of scalding water. Before the sightless mother could rescue the little one it received burns from which it died.

BALLS AND PARTIES.

GRAND BAL-!

Given by the

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS,

For the Benefit of the

YELLOW FEVER SUFFERERS,

At Turn Halle,

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1878.

Committee of Arrangements:

CHAUNCEY DALE, GEO. S. H. JACKSON,
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C. C. STRICKLER.

The Washington Guard Band have Kindly tendered their services.

Tickets $1 50, to be obtained of any of the Committee or members of the Order.

FIRST ANNUAL BALL

OF THE

FATHER MATHEW T. A. B. SOCIETY

Will be held at

ORO FINO HALL,

ON THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 10th.

Committee of Arrangements.

Ches. Grant, Thos. Murthe, Owen Cox, William Hurley James Kennedy, P. G. Gleason, Jas. Cusick, Michael Martin, T. D. McManus, Thomas Brown, Wm. Courtney, T. B. McDevitt, John Ring, Wm. J. Kelley, Con. O'Brien, Wm. E. Forpey.

Reception Committee:

M. Scott, Owen Cox, John Ring, Thomas Brown, Wm. J. Kelley.

Floor Managers.

T. B. McDevitt, James Kennedy, Con O'Brien, Thomas Murthe, James Cusick, P. G. Gleason, T. D McManus

TICKETS $1—to be had from any of the members and at the door on the night of the 10th.

Dancing to commence at 10:30 P. M. s30dtd

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NEW MARKET THEATER.

FRIDAY, 4th OCTOBER, 1878,

FIRST CONCERT

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Finale—3d Act "Martha."

Admission.....$1 00
Reserved Seats at Morse's on and after Sept. 30th, at 10 A. M.

The Ladies of Trinity Guild

WILL HAVE A FAIR!

At Oro Fino Hall, on

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 2,

Also, a LUNCH on THURSDAY, from 12 o'clock until 2.

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In order to enable our customers to compete with and force from this market all EASTERN SHODDY, we have made

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Having been appointed sole Agents for the PIONEER and MISSION WOOLEN MILLS, of San Francisco, for Oregon and Washington Territory, we beg leave to inform the trade that we are prepared to offer full lines of the production of these Celebrated Mills at FACTORY LIST PRICE.

We call particular attention to the Celebrated.

White Family Blankets
Of the Mission Mills, and
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of the Pioneer, both of which are unequaled.

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Portland, July 31, 1878.

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A fine line of New Style Dress Goods at 25c per yard.
A full line of Ladies' and Misses' Cotton and Wool Hosiery.
Corsets, Kid Gloves, Fringes, Embroideries, Laces, Ruching, Ribbons, &c.
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A Full Stock of

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We have a heavy Canton Flannel at 10c per yard.
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A heavy Wool Flannel at.....25c
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A full Stock of Blankets, Bedspreads and Comforters.

We have several Special Lines of Goods, in which we are offering great Bargains, of which we will make special mention later.

All we ask is an inspection of our Stock, as we know we are offering better inducements than are offered elsewhere.

Orders from the country solicited and promptly filled. Samples sent on application.

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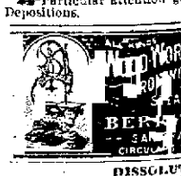
What answer can congress make to this? How can the country escape the conclusion that such a power in a railroad company is actually a power to overrule and defy the supreme mandate of the national legislature? It is plain that the only certain and speedy way would be the opening of a competing railway to the Pacific. The most effective answer as well as the most effective answer to the outrageous proceedings of the Union Pacific line which congress could give would be the forfeiture of an not extending the conditions of the land grant to the Northern Pacific. The company are asking an extension of years; but if it be granted, the Northern Pacific will most likely be in operation



DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between Ye Ark & Co. in the Provision business conducted in this city and land, on Second street, between Morrison, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Ye Ark & Co. withdrawing. The business will be continued as usual by Isaac Ping, who assumes all the debts due said firm.

Portland, Or., Aug 19, 1878.

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JAMES LAIDLAW & CO., have removed to O. S. N. Co's Block, 44½ Front st., up stairs. s19d2w

The rush now is at the C. O. D. Grocery.

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THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between W. W. Piper and Jules Knapp under the firm name of Piper & Knapp, is this day dissolved. Outstanding accounts will be settled by either party. W. W. PIPER.
Sept. 23, 1878. s24d6t

And also the Duval Patent Iron Running Gear, for Vehicles.

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The Daily Oregonian.
TUESDAY MORNING OCTOBER 1 1878

COST OF IMPROVEMENTS

In 1868 the U S government engineers made an estimate that it would cost about $2 500 000 to improve the navigation of the Mississippi at the rapids opposite Rock Island They were completed in 1877 at a cost of over $4 000,000 showing how expensive everything of that kind is if undertaken by the United States The great expense incurred is caused by the thoroughness and completeness that characterizes every piece of work done by government engineers —a thoroughness and superior quality which adds to the cost but generally makes it the most durable that is laid twice as long as the work of ordinary civil engineers In an eastern paper we find the following statement of material used and the cost which may be taken as an indication of what the expenditure will have to be for improving the Columbia river and what time will be required

MATERIAL USED	
Cubic yards earth excavated	1 760 000
" " rock	363 000
" " earth embankment	340 000
" " riprap wall	5 800
" " face wall	21 300
" " backing stone	10 300
" " cut stone masonry	1 100
" " vertical wall	2 400
" " first class masonry in sluices walls	8 00
" " slope walls	21 000
" " concrete	00
Barrels of hydraulic cement	91 000
Pounds wrought iron in lock gates	85 000
Pounds cast iron in lock gates	2 1 000
Feet oak timber in lock gates	210 000

ITEMIZED COST OF WORK

Cost of lower lock complete, including sluices, lock gates and machinery for operating gates, $725 000 Cost of middle lock complete, including same as lower, $470 000 Guard lock complete, including gates and unfinished machinery for operating gates $260 000 Section work, including excavation of prism and embankment $1 900,000 Channel excavation upper and lower entrances to canal, and excavation of channel between Nashville and Montrose, $475 000 Miscellaneous consisting of paid claims, right of way, engineering expenses, etc, $225 000 Total, $4 152,000

APPROPRIATIONS

June 18, 1866	$500 000
March 2, 1867	500 000
July 20, 1868	500 000
May 11, 1869	100 000
Dec. 23, 1869	250 000
July 11 1870	400 000
July 11 1870	341 000
Jan. 18, 1771	350 000
March 3, 1871	400,000
Jan 10 1872	400 000
March 3, 1875	160 000
Jan 28, 1878	250 000
March 3 1875	150 000
Aug. 14, 1878	250 000

The prices generally paid were as follows for excavating rock, $2 50 per cubic yard (in Rock Island (upper) canals excavation covered, and excavation cut with steam chisels weighing five tons), $8 to $20 per cubic yard Earth embankment, 55 cents per cubic yard Face wall, per cubic yard for finding and cutting stone and laying in wall (government furnishing cement and stone at cost) $8 per cubic yard) $20 per cubic yard Vertical wall (government furnishing stone), $5 per yard Second class masonry (government furnishing stone), $8 per cubic yard Cope wall, $1 per yard

Timber cost $65 per M board measure, before being worked. The stone which was used in building the locks at Rock Island was got out of the cuts, immediately on the ground where the locks were located

LANDS FOR THE NORTHERN PACIFIC

WHY THE ROAD SHOULD BE PUSHED THROUGH —A NATIONAL ENTERPRISE—IDEAS OF THE COUNTRY ACQUIRED BY PROGRESS OF THE ROAD.

[From the Chicago Times]

Approximate correct ideas of the country traversed by the Northern Pacific, any correct or even approximately correct notions of its fertility and wonderful capabilities, have only been acquired since the completion of the road to the Missouri river, and in fact since settlements along the line began to spring up. As actual knowledge of the country and its resources increases, it becomes more and more apparent that the Northern Pacific is of all the projected railways to the western ocean the one which must be of the greatest value and importance to the American people It is the one which will open to settlement by far the most extensive, most fertile, and every way most desirable regions It is, therefore, the one for the construction of which it was the wisest policy to give public aid in the way of a grant of public land And it is for the same reasons that it will be manifestly wise policy to extend the time fixed for the completion of the road The necessity for such an extension has arisen by no fault or omission of the able and energetic gentlemen composing the present company They have fairly forfeited no right, have failed in the fulfillment of no undertaking, have done nothing and omitted nothing to change any reason that ever existed in favor of the carrying forth of this great enterprise In the contrary, stronger and more cogent reasons can now be urged in favor of an act extending the time for the completion of the undertaking than any that could have been given at the outset for beginning it. One or two of these reasons it may be timely to mention

The completion of one railway to the Pacific gave rise to a stronger argument in favor of a second than could have been made in favor of the first A single line of railway across the continent is of course a monopoly unchecked by any possible competitor To bring such monopoly within a reasonable power of control, a competing line becomes a necessity

The force of this argument is shown by the recent action of the Union and Central Pacific companies in doubling rates of transportation Last winter, it will be remembered, congress passed an act (Thurman act, so-called) to compel those corporations to pay interest which they had solemnly engaged to pay on the bonds issued to them by the government, but which they had never even pretended to pay What was their response to the act requiring them to pay what they agreed to pay? As if to manifest their utter contempt of the congressional act, and show that they would devise a way of evading it in effect, they doubled the rates of transportation. What was it but to say Congress has compelled us to pay the interest on the country's bonds, as we agreed to, there fore we will compel the country to pay it back by doubling our freight charges, thus, in spite of congress, we propose to avoid an honest fulfillment of our obligations It certainly looks as if this were the real motive of those companies in doubling their freight charges. It looks as if their real purpose was to make the country pay what congress declared the companies should pay, as they had agreed to.

What answer can congress make to this? How can the country escape the consequences of such a power in a railroad company—virtually a power to overrule and defeat the supreme mandate of the national legislature? It is plain that the only certain and effective way would be the opening of a competing railway to the Pacific The most appropriate as well as the most effective answer to the outrageous proceedings of the Union Pacific that which congress could give would be the opening of the line, extending the conditions of the land grant to the Northern Pacific. The company are asking an extension for ten years; but if it be granted, the Northern Pacific will most likely be in operation throughout the whole line in less than six years from this time

The *Times* has no hesitation in saying that such extension of the Northern Pacific grant can be put upon the highest ground of public interest justice and propriety It is an exceptional case if there ever was one It is a case in which the reasons now manifestly justifying and demanding an extension of this particular grant are ten fold stronger than any that were or could have been originally urged in favor of any railroad grant whatever

WASHINGTON TERRITORY

The potato crop on Whidby Island is almost a failure owing to lack of rain The only fields which yield well are the alluvial bottoms and sea shore lands

Seven robbers recently went to Cariboo about forty miles from Spokane Springs in Idaho territory and took from the miners gold dust to the value of about $1 000 They also captured several horses

The gold mines recently discovered on Salmon river have attracted a great many fortune seekers of every rank and calling Owing to lack of water and other disadvantages no one has yet struck it rich

Civilization has reached the wilds of the Saughet country and has borne the fruit of a prime article of scandal A married woman of thirty has left poor Snooks behind and eloped with a tender youth of twenty

Following are the Klickitat county Republican nominations Probate judge R O Dunbar sheriff A Sylvester auditor H I Levens treasurer Wm Melarland assessor J H Like commissioners A H Curtis J R Shor and W H Mahan The selection of a candidate for representative, was left to the Republicans of Skamania

CANADA.

International Park at Niagara

TORONTO Sept 28—Lord Dufferin in a speech before the society of artists said that his suggestion to the governor of New York that an international park be formed around Niagara falls received the hearty acceptance of that gentleman who encouraged the hope that should a fitting opportunity present itself he and his government might be induced of not to take the initiative step, at all events to co operate heartily with Canada in carrying out the plan

Dr. Mantle's Vegetable Nephreticum

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WM GREENE

Salem Oregon Aug 21 1878

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J WARD

Salem Oregon

This is to certify that Mr Wm Greene of Salem Oregon treated my wife for cancer in December 1877. The treatment was without the use of the knife or loss of blood. The cure has every appearance of being permanent

SARAH ORR

This is to certify that Mr W Greene of Salem Oregon treated my son for cancer in December 1877. The treatment was without the use of the knife or loss of blood. To all appearances the cure is permanent

C H HASWELL

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, DALLAS Polk Co Ogn

This is to certify that Wm Greene of Salem Oregon treated my brother H D Hall and his wife, of Ballston Polk Co Oregon for cancer and to all appearance the cure is permanent. The treatment was without the use of the knife or loss of blood. The operation was performed in January A D 1878. I would heartily recommend Mr W Greene to all thus afflicted M HALL

Sheriff of Polk Co Oregon

LIGHT HART Marion Co Oregon

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R C GEER Ex County Clerk

PERRIA Linn County, Oregon

This is to certify that Mr W Greene of Salem Oregon treated me for cancer in December, 1877 It was on my nose and of seven years' standing It was removed without the loss of blood or the use of the knife and to all appearance the cure is permanent

JOHN MOODY

Ex County Commissioner

AMITY, Yamhill Co, Oregon

I hereby certify that Mr W Greene of Salem Oregon treated me for cancer in February 1878 It was on my face and of ten years' standing It was cured without the use of the knife or loss of blood and but little pain

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s16d6w1m Ex County Commissioner

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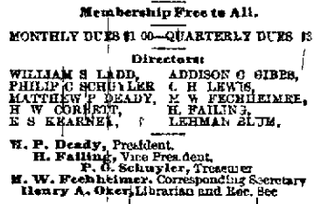

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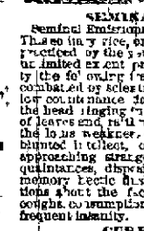

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Will Want to Fight England.

A telegram dispatch states that Schir Ali the secret envoy of the ameer of Afghanistan, has arrived to claim the sultan's intervention in the primaries.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Shipping News.

VICTORIA, Oct 1—The steamship *City of Panama* for San Francisco sailed yesterday The barks *Whistler* and *Surprise* from San Francisco and *Tokote* from China have arrived.

The Weather.

Southeast gales with heavy rain have prevailed for the past four days The telegraph line is down in all directions.

Grant thought drinkers could if necessary pay in advance for drinks and assist dealers to get a license This bill will work a revolution in the manners of the people

Ramsby advocated the bill Temperance people are now on the defensive all the time He thought liquor sellers should be on the defensive thought an important qualification for a liquor seller was to have a good moral character

Reed was in favor of the bill The district where no license was issued was fortunate.

Purdin favored the bill

Tyson showed how the law works and the will of the majority does not rule. The bill passed, yeas, 36; nays, 20; absent, 4 The speaker explained and favored the bill, all except the general repealing clause

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TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 1, 1878.

CURRENCY AND TAXATION.

There is a phase of the greenback question which has not been presented hitherto as plainly as it should be. It is that greenbacks, being non-taxable, their issue will not benefit the working but the capital classes. It is usual with those who present propositions to the workingmen, that is with demagogical capitalists like Butler and Pendleton, to put forward only the plausible side and conceal the real truth. Thus the argument usually is that increase of the volume of greenbacks will start business, enhance prices, and so give employment at advanced wages to workingmen. But experience has always shown that expansion of the currency has benefited labor less than mercantile pursuits or speculative enterprises, because the prices of labor do not fluctuate as readily and frequently as do those of other commodities. So that, before labor could reap its share of the advantage it must first suffer from the more rapid increase of the cost of articles essential to daily life. But even then labor could not derive the greatest benefit from larger emissions of paper. Not being taxable, the greenbacks would furnish a medium of escape on the part of capitalists from the burdens of taxation. And in so far as they are relieved the burdens must fall on the working masses. As things now are men possessed of large means temporarily purchase large amounts of greenbacks at the time for tax assessments, and by this expedient escape taxation altogether. What is it that has caused the public distress, for several years so widely felt? What, indeed, but a collapse of speculation under that paper money system which is now recommended as the great thing again needed by the country? Who is the man always ground to powder by these reverses? The poor man, not the rich. When a paper money system drives up prices the laboring man's wages rise last always; when the bubbles of paper speculation burst, and burst they always do and always will, the first thing that drops is the laboring man's wages. Currency fluctuations also affect the price of the products which the farmer has to sell. The trader who buys the farmer's products runs the risk of fluctuation, and takes care to protect himself. But he can only do it at the farmer's expense. He deducts the percentage necessary to cover his risk from the price he pays to the farmer. Again, when the farmer buys goods from the merchant he pays a price to cover the risk of fluctuation which the merchant necessarily incurs. Thus the farmer's candle burns at both ends. An inflated currency blows up the prices of all things that our producers have to buy and runs down the prices of all they have to sell. In any way that we can take it a depreciated currency benefits the rich and injures the poor.

THE WATER QUESTION.

In dealing with the water question all the facts and circumstances should be taken into consideration. The legislature cannot possibly decide what it is best for the city to do. From this fact arises the necessity for appointing a commission composed of men whose responsibility will sufficiently guarantee a policy that will satisfy the people. This commission should not be hampered or trammeled. If left free to buy or erect works, or to make terms with the present company which will secure supply and distribution of water at satisfactory rates, we may be sure a result will be reached that will meet public approval. We want no possibility of a "job" in water works. Far better let the matter stand as it is than to put it in such shape as will run the city heavily in debt on any injudicious, irrational or corrupt plan. Let the three citizens who have already been named be designated as commissioners; and then if a vote is to be had on any proposition in connection with water works, let the law limit the suffrage to actual taxpayers. We trust the legislature will consider the subject well, and not hastily adopt anybody's theory. This is a subject of more importance to Portland than any other matter that can come before the legislative assembly at the present session. The best way on the whole would be to appoint as commissioners the persons who have already been named, and leave the matter to them, with discretionary powers. They will then examine the whole subject, and after getting full information will submit it to the people with their recommendation as to what would be the best thing.

Carroll D. Wright, chief of the Massachusetts bureau of statistics, gave the committee on education and labor some testimony which differs from that picture of prostration and forced idleness which demagoging candidates and political labor parties delight to draw. He says the number of the unemployed and of those needing public relief has steadily decreased since 1875, and that he has made extensive inquiries throughout the United States, and has found no such state of things among laborers as has been represented to the committee. He said the shoe manufacturers were enlarging their works; the Amoskeag print works were putting in 900 additional looms, and Mr. Crompton, the loom manufacturer, had more orders than he could fill. Carpenters now get $2 for nine hours, in 1859 they got $1 75 for ten hours. The work of laborers on boots and shoes averages nine hours; in the cotton mills from nine to ten hours. He said the purchasing power of money is a little less now than then, but he made out a picture of the workman's condition very far from that of distress.

The usual number of propositions, perhaps more, for trafficking with the state lands, is again before the legislature. Nothing, perhaps, could induce the legislature to let these lands alone. For ten years they have been the subject of lobby schemes, and every act passed in relation to them has simply been an act of spoliation. If let alone in time they would be valuable; but administered as they have been, the proceeds will be wholly absorbed by expenses. It is a case in which there is not even "barly enough for the officers." It may be too late to cry "hands off;" but it is not too late to say that the policy which has been converting them into booty before they could be valuable enough to yield the state anything above the pay of the officials having them in charge resembles exactly the conduct of the hungry Indian who couldn't wait for his potatoes to grow, but dug for his dinner the seed he had planted the day before.

If the statesman from Multnomah who has put in bills to regulate the rates to be charged for water and gas in this city will now propose another bill to reduce the price of groceries, milk and butcher's meat, he will make a further advance in the same line and win new titles to the gratitude of a favored people. Who will deliver us from the oppression of those unfeeling people in all lines of trade who keep things to sell which we must have, and which we must pay their price for, or go without? The statesmanship of the Multnomah member, if it can reduce the price of gas by legislation, can certainly curb the rapacity of the dairymen and give us cheaper milk. Give us a reform which shall be comprehensive enough to mean something.

Several months ago when certain parties were arrested charged with "body snatching" here, we spoke of the necessity of a law for promotion of medical science, under which the bodies of persons dying in hospitals or executed in pursuance of law, if not claimed by friends or relatives, might be taken for the purpose of medical and surgical study. Mr. Lord's bill (S. B. No. 12) seems to answer the object fully. We notice it at this time for the purpose of expressing a hope that it may become a law.

In the twentieth congressional district of Pennsylvania the Democrats have nominated Andrew G. Curtin, an old Republican and the state's famous war governor, for congress. The district is heavily Democratic, and unless the Fusionists lead away great numbers of voters he will be elected. His nomination is another incident that shows that the political situation, as honest Fluellen said of fortune, is "turning and inconstant, and variations and mutabilities."

A red hot organ of the communists, published at Chicago, says that the bottom truth and final work of all socialistic effort is—capital shall not have its profit. Its claims are to be wholly disallowed, and all the returns of labor shall go to the laborers, pro rata according to skill and industry. The public will be duly notified when this arrangement goes into effect.

Col. T. S. Lang, of Eastern Oregon, will deliver the annual address at the state fair. He will undoubtedly present an address worthy of the occasion and of himself. He is one of the most cultivated and skillful and practical men who are connected with the agricultural interests of the state.

The commissioner of the general land office decides that soldiers in the regular army may file claims and acquire homesteads on the public lands without intending to become actual settlers. The decision was made on the application of Gen. Jeff. C. Davis.

MAGAZINES.

The current number of the *International Review* contains articles of especial ability and merit. A principal topics is, "The Cry of Labor—What Answer?" by President Chadbourne, of Williams college, Mass. This article is a very acute analysis of the causes that underlie the present agitation. The key note of the whole is in this statement: "Organizations that seek to array class against class can never correct the evils nor produce good except by arousing men to the dangers that surround them. The aim must be to elevate the *individual*. The masses can be reached and elevated not by organizations that treat them as such, but by care for the individuals that compose the masses." There is more in these simple words than in all the harangues uttered by political demagogues for a century. Another striking article is a review of the career of William E. Gladstone. "European Politics from the French Standpoint" is the subject of a paper by an able French writer. Rev. Dr. Osgood furnishes a second paper on "The Centenary of Rousseau." This man may rightly be called the principle of the eighteenth century. He is working now among us in America through chosen disciples and in popular tendencies. "But," says Dr. Osgood, "though his tendency lives and grows, his theory has died out among thoughtful people." This article is a remarkably good generalization. Numerous other articles of permanent value enrich this number of the *International*. Published by A. S. Barnes & Co, New York.

We notice in *Scribner* much artistic improvement. The articles in the October number maintain great excellence in the line upon which this magazine has established so high a reputation. Among the illustrated articles are "The Art Schools of New York," "Artemus Ward at Cleveland," and, "A Trip with Lincoln, Chase and Stanton." Dr. Holland presents good work as usual in his "Topics of the Time."

There is no youths' magazine that can be a competitor with *St. Nicholas*, published by Scribner. Its stories, sketches and illustrations are faultless, and its humor is at once delicate and entertaining. The October number is equal to any of its predecessors.

At the price at which the treasury is now furnishing silver bullion for coinage the boasted dollar of our fathers contains just 87½ cents' worth of silver.

NEW TO-DAY.

Columbian Engine Co. No. 3. — Regular meeting this Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock.
THOS. NEALLY, Secretary.

Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.—Regular meeting this evening, at 7½ o'clock.
R. M. McMASTER, Secretary.

St. Andrew's Society of Oregon.—Regular meeting this Tuesday evening at the Society's rooms, at 7:30 o'clock.
ROB'T. COLLIER, Secretary.

MRS. DR. LOU PATTERSON, A TEST AND Business Medium, gives sittings daily. Residence, Columbia st., bet. First and Second. o1-1m

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE this day admitted E. P. Gilliland to a one-half interest in the Gem Oyster Saloon and Chop House.
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WE WANT THREE RELIABLE CANVASSING Agents at once. Apply to the SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., 186 First st. oct 1-w

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FROM BRITISH SHIP BEN LEDI, NORTH of Portland, a black retriever DOG, with white fore paws and streak down neck; rips hind feet also white; hair very curly; answers to the name of "Cesark." A suitable reward will be paid for his return to JOHN BOYD, master, at Ballou, Guthrie & Co's. oct 1t

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SEVERAL APPRENTICES TO LEARN DRESS making. Apply at MRS. KINGS rooms, up stairs, over Mrs. Warner's store, on Third st. o1d6t

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

WE HAVE A DEMAND FOR CITY LOTS AND Good Farms; also numerous applications for Houses to Rent. Give us a call.
CREIGHTON & STEARNS,
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

THE PEWS OR SITTINGS IN THE PRESBYterian Church will be rented for the ensuing year on Thursday afternoon of this week, Oct. 3d, in the church, at 3 o'clock. All persons desiring pews or sittings are respectfully requested to attend. By order of the Trustees. o1d3t

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ALL KINDS OF ROOFING MATERIAL IN OUR line on hand and for sale. New Roofing warranted five years.

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Made of Concrete, Artificial Stone and Asphaltum. We have just received a lot of Dr. Boynton's patent TIN ROOF PAINT from New York. Give it a trial. Tin Roofs Painted on short notice at reasonable prices. All kinds of old Flat Roofs Repaired and warranted not to leak.
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Our HOSIERY stock is immense and in Ladies and Children's Balbriggan, Plain Color and Fancy Stripe Cotton or Wool Hosiery, believe we can meet every demand.

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CREIGHTON & STEARNS,

Real Estate Agents

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Corner Front and Washington Streets.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE!

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The entire Furniture of 7 rooms, consisting in part of

3 elegant marble top walnut Bedroom Sets.
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Spring and Hair Mattresses.
Blankets and Bedding.
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The above is all in first rate order and is well worth the attention of intending purchasers.
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At 10 o'clock A. M.

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1 Elegant Parlor Set,
1 Elegant Black Walnut Bedroom Set,
1 Elegant Sofa Lounge,
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ALSO,

1 Fine Secretary.

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1 Fine Cooking Range and Fixtures.
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One Fine Organ.
One Elegant Parlor Set, silk reps.
Two Fine do do
Two Elegant Bl k Wal Bedroom Sets.
Two elegant Hed Lounges,
Three " Center Tables, marble top.
80 Yds. Fine Body Brussels Carpets.
One Fine French Plate Mirror.
Ten Fine Spring Mattresses,
Five Sewing Machines,

ALSO,

250 bxs Soap.
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500 pieces	Sprague Prints		22 yards for One Dollar
20	" Cohasset Bleached Sheeting,	8-4	20c per yard
20	" " "	9-4	22c per yard
20	" " "	10-4	25c per yard
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20	" " "	9-4	21c per yard
50	" bleached and unbleached Canton Flannel		8c per yard
100	" Linen Crash		8c per yard

This is no catch or bait, but actual and legitimate prices to correspond with prices of goods in other lines, as you can perceive by comparing with our last Price List.

We desire our patrons to be on their guard as it has been the custom of several unprincipled dealers to wait until we have completed and published our PRICE LIST to copy the same and put in lower prices, not with the intention of selling lower than we do, for that is impossible (*i. e.* the same quality of goods). The object of these parties is *to catch as many poor dupes as possible* and cheat them right and left, for it is easy enough to print a price list and fill in any prices, but it is quite another thing to fill orders and sell the same according to the way they are really represented in the price list.

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But what we do is this: We buy our Goods from first hands in San Francisco and the East, in large quantities, and add a small per centage on them, then mark these goods with the selling price, from which we never deviate, not even five cents on the sale of one hundred dollars. And thus

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WE DEAL JUSTLY WITH EVERY ONE;

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Chandeliers and Mirrors.
Parlor Set and Easy Chairs,
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Velvet, Brussels and 3-Ply Carpets,
Spring Mattresses,
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Obstetrics and Surgery, specialty—Diseases of the heart, best of references. Office & Residence—Cor. Third and Jefferson.

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NOTICE.

TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Multnomah County, will take notice that the School Tax for 1878 is due and payable at the office of the School Clerk, on Third street, and the tax can be paid, and the same will be received in delinquent taxes paid within 60 days from date. Office hours each day, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Sept 25, 1878.

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CLOTHING.

The Daily Oregonian.

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BANDEL AND BANDS CONCERT.

The sale of reserved seats for Friday's concert commenced yesterday morning, and from present indications long ere Friday night all will have been reserved.

The programme before us, and is one of particular excellence and variety. The first part is devoted to the "Farmer's Mass" in B flat by a full chorus and orchestra, the solo parts being taken by members of the society. This mass is one of great beauty, and while not quite so grand as oratorio, is probably quite as interesting. The second part is a miscellaneous one and every number is entirely new to the Portland public except the finale of the first of Martha. This number alone should fill the house. The celebrated "Tramp Song," by Sir Henry Bishop, a madrigal, "Hark! Hark! the lyre, awake," and two songs by the director, W. H. Kinross, constitute the principal numbers of this part, besides which there is a violin, guitar and zither trio by Messrs. Tanner, Brenner and Miller. Ample provision has been provided for ladies and persons coming in full evening costume. Carriages may be ordered for 10:30, at which time we expect to see our snug little house crowded with the *elite* of Portland.

The orchestra will number 60 voices, in addition to which a full orchestra will be used. No pains have been spared to make this musical concert of this society a grand success, and we can guarantee satisfaction to all who attend. *Diagram* at Morse's.

BRIEF NOTES.

County Court next Monday.

Fun in the winter of our discontent.

Common council Wednesday evening.

Mr. Fred Zeiber has gone to the Yakima country.

Capt. Kamm's new boat was launched yesterday afternoon.

Portland has done nobly in behalf of the fever sufferers.

Capt. Shattuck will remain at Oregon City during the week holding court.

There will be a stated meeting of Oregon Chapter of Perfection No. 1 at their lodge room this (Tuesday) at 7:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Relief Society will meet this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock in the basement of the Presbyterian church.

Letters for the following persons remain uncalled for at the telegraph office: Henry Miller, Miss Ruby Leighton, Jonas Swanson, Mrs. T. Wat. Ye Lom Low, Geo. Beckingham, A. H. DeBruler.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Richard Roe, d. d., $10, unpaid; Frank Brandt, d. d., forfeited $5 bail; Tim Lynd, d. d., $10, unpaid; L. Billman, d. d., forfeited $5 bail; Isaac, d. d., forfeited $5 bail; Jacob, d. d., forfeited $5 bail; Sayers, d. d., paid; Frank Obelkirk, d. d., $5, paid; J. Baker, d. d., forfeited $10 bail; John Law, d. d., $5 unpaid; Buchanan, d. d., $5, paid; David Clark, d. d., $10, unpaid; John Green, d. d., $5, unpaid: Frank Plum, d. d., unpaid; A. Gooch, disorderly by fighting, unpaid; Mills, larceny, continued.

MILITARY NOTES.

Upon the recommendation of his company commander, based upon his service and good conduct previous to and since his trial, a portion of the fine in the case of First Sergeant William J. Barry, company G, 1st battalion, proceedings promulgated in general order No. 23, headquarters department of Columbia, current series,—is remitted.

YELLOW FEVER SUFFERERS.

A meeting of the committee was held last evening at the council chamber, Wesley Jackson in the chair, and Joseph Bachman, secretary, present.

A report from Hon. H. Failing, treasurer, showed that he had forwarded $569 to New Orleans as per instructions on the 18th of September.

The following are the total amounts of money received up to date:

First district	$4 543 05
Second "	1,180 40
Third "	487 50
	$6,211 95
Outside contributions	267 10
Total	$6,479 15

The following amounts have been sent to the Howard Association from this city by H. Failing, treasurer, to different points: Sept. 7th, $1,000; Sept. 16th, $1,500; Sept. 28th, $500; total, $3,000.

At the meeting last evening, by unanimous consent and opinions of the members present, it was resolved that the necessity for further contributions from our citizens for the relief of the sufferers from yellow fever has ceased; it appearing from latest dispatches from the afflicted districts that the surplus on hand is fully adequate to the present or prospective demand for aid.

The meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION.

I have the pleasure of acknowledging the receipt of the following sums from the employes of the Oregon Steam Navigation Company for the relief of the yellow fever sufferers of the south:

Steamer *White Rose*	$ 54 00
" *Alameda*	49 50
" *Annie Faxon*	38 50
" *Spokane*	81 50
" *Mountain Queen*	37 25
" *Uncle Thompson*	30 50
" *Jamilla*	62 50
Celilo wharf boat	12 50
Cascade railroad	101 00
Oregon railroad	70 70
Total	$510 95

In behalf of the committee I thank you for the generous contribution. WESLEY JACKSON, Chairman Relief Committee.

Portland, Sept. 30, 1878.

ALONG THE WHARVES.

The *Freeman Clark* lies at Flanders' wharf.

The *River Clyde* is at the upper O. & C. R. R. dock at East Portland, taking wheat.

The handsome British vessel, *Alumni*, is receiving a cargo of wheat at Flanders' dock.

A barge is taking wheat at the lower O. & C. R. R. dock, Eas. Portland, for a vessel down the river.

The *Ostrom* lies at McCraken's dock. She is receiving a fresh coat of paint, which is much needed.

The lighthouse tender *Shubrick*, which has been laid up at San Francisco some time for repairs, is again ready for duty, and will probably soon be there.

The barkentine *Portland* arrived from San Francisco during Sunday night, and is now lying at McCraken's dock. She brings a full cargo of general merchandize.

The little revenue cutter *Corwin*, now doing substitute duty for the *Shubrick*, lies at Flanders' wharf, and is receiving a cargo of buoys to be placed in the Columbia river and on the bar at its mouth. These buoys, which are of iron and very large, have been thoroughly overhauled at Smith Bros' machine shops in this city.

PERSONAL.

Alexander Torres, Jr., editor of the Cincinnati *Free Presse*, arrived in the *Elder* and is stopping at the Clarendon.

Mr. E. S. Crocker, proprietor of the *Uintah County Argus* (Wyoming) has been on a visit to this state, and returned home by the *Ancon*.

Col. Dudley Evans, manager of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office in this city, returned on the last steamer. The colonel went east some weeks ago and it is quite sufficient to add that he did not return alone. Congratulations are in order.

Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock Postmaster General Key and a number of prominent gentlemen of Portland will start up the Columbia river on board the O. S. N. Co.'s new and commodious steamer's *Wide West*. The party will proceed through directly to Celilo, and returning to The Dalles the same day, remain there Wednesday night. Thursday the excursionists will return to this city. Those who are fortunate enough to be favored with an invitation may confidently anticipate a very pleasant trip.

PARK STREET SCHOOL BUILDING.

The contracts for the foundation and wood work of the proposed school building were let some time ago, and the brick for the basement has been crowded forward as rapidly as possible. The rains which have prevailed for the past week have interrupted the work to a considerable extent. Mr. Caywood, who has the contract for the wood work, is all ready to commence with a large force of men as soon as the foundation is completed. The basement will probably be finished the present week. It is Mr. Caywood's intention to get the new building up, enclose it and put the roof on before the regular rainy season shall set in. The building will stand in an unfinished condition until next spring. The contract calls for the completion of the building by the 1st of August, 1878.

AMUSEMENTS.

John Maguire has leased the New Market Theater for six months, and will open at an early date with a first class dramatic company, presenting in rapid succession all the latest successful dramas, and putting the same on the stage in as good a style as they can be presented in any city in the country. The company will, we are assured, be well selected, so that even the minor parts will be in the hands of competent artists. Mr. Maguire is prepared to offer liberal terms to such dramatic or musical stars as may visit the coast during the coming season to induce them to visit Portland. In furtherance of this plan, he will be represented in New York City by the well known dramatic agents Edwards and Wall.

OFFENDERS TRIED.

Three young men, it will be remembered, were arrested charged with complicity in the stabbing affair which occurred at New Era last summer—Eudy, Miller and LaRocque. These defendants were indicted for assault with a dangerous weapon at the term of the state circuit court now being held at Oregon City. Miller was acquitted of the charge. Eudy was tried, but the jury failed to agree—11 standing for conviction and 1 for acquittal. After being out a long time the jury agreed on a verdict of simple assault and were discharged. Geo. LaRocque, the remaining defendant, will be tried to-day on the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

J. C. Hawthorne and wife et al to Baldwin Sylvester, W ½ lots 7 and 8 blk 42, East Portland—$75.

J. C. Hawthorne and wife et al to Matilda Pierce, lots 7 and 8 blk 116, Stephens' Addition to East Portland—$60.

Orin H. Price to Matilda Pierce, lots 3 and 4 blk 124, Stephens' Add to East Portland—$700.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

MONDAY, Sept 30, 1878.

Sharp vs Kwong Tai Co: order allowing Marshal to amend return judgment by default.

Vance et al vs Burbank et al: order allowing an appeal.

U. S. vs Thos. G. Young et al: motion for new trial argued and taken under advisement.

Court adjourned until Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M.

The Survey of the Columbia.

Capt. Rockwell of the U. S. Coast Survey, who during the past summer has been engaged in the work of that service on the Columbia river between Kalama and a point about five miles above the foot of Sauvies' Island, had the misfortune, a few days ago, to severely sprain an ankle so that he is unable to walk. The dense smoke which prevailed for some time, and other disadvantages, have greatly retarded the work of triangulation which requires a clear atmosphere.

Zion Church Entertainment.

On Wednesday evening the little folks of the A. M. E. Zion Church, assisted by some of the folks who are no longer little, will entertain their friends at the church building on the east side of Third street, between B and C streets. A varied programme of literary and musical exercises, good refreshments, and a royal good time, are written for the evening. Our colored friends know how to treat their guests well, and, our word for it, they won't fail this time.

Ladies! note the display of cloaks and suits at Harris' Emporium of Fashion.

Those who patronize Barnes at the Market, say he sets the best meals.

Best in the World—Perinot's Paris Kid Gloves—Fishel & Roberts, sole agents.

FURNITURE SALE.—This morning at 10 o'clock Messrs. Creighton & Stearns will sell the furniture of seven rooms at No. 131, Front street, between Washington and Alder, by auction. The sale will commence sharp at the above hour.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

COMPLIMENTARY HOP.—The Washington Guard will give a social hop at their hall Thursday evening Oct. 3d. A very enjoyable time may be expected.

I. O. R. M.—On Thursday evening of the present week a grand ball is announced to come off at Oro Fino Hall. The affair is to be given under the auspices of Multnomah Tribe No. 2, Improved Order of Red Men, and is for the benefit of the widow and orphan fund. Every necessary preparation has been made, and a successful and enjoyable time may be anticipated. In consequence of Mr. E. A. Cronin's illness the ball will be given at Oro Fino Hall instead of the Red Men's Hall.

K. of P.—This (Tuesday) evening a grand ball will be given at Turn Hatle, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias of Portland, for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers. The following gentlemen constitute the committee of arrangements: Chancey Dale, Geo. W. Pittock, Geo. S. H. Jackson, B. Kellogg, C. C. Strickler. The Washington Guard band have generously tendered their services on this occasion. The object for which the ball is given is most laudable, and it is to be hoped that the affair will meet with that measure of success which its merits deserve. Tickets, admitting gentleman and ladies, $1 50.

LEGISLATIVE BALL.—An invitation to attend a ball to be given by the citizens of Salem in honor of the members of the legislative assembly of Oregon, Friday evening, Oct. 4th, has been received. The following are the committees:

Honorary—His Excellency Gov. W. W. Thayer, Hon. R. P. Earhart, secretary of state, Ex-Gov. John Whiteaker, president of the senate, Hon. J. M. Thompson, speaker of the house, Ex-Gov. S. F. Chadwick, Gen. M. V. Brown.

Arrangements—A. B. Crossman, F. E. Hodgkin, Ed. Hirsch.

Invitation—H. H. Gilry, Sam'l W. Church, A. C. Brey.

Reception—S. F. Mathews, Geo. W. Belt, A. N. Gilbert.

Floor—J. M. Patterson, N. M. Chapman, John W. Minto, E. Meyer, Ed. Chamberlain, Capt. J. B. Lister.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Go to Ackerman's for clothing.

Cowan & Dilg, contractors for gravel and artificial stone roofing and sidewalks, advertise in another column.

Plummer dried fruits are offered in large quantities at the manufactures. Address W. S. Plummer, Portland.

Oscar Kilbourn will sell a fine lot of household furniture this morning on Second street between Yamhill and Morrison. Look out for bargains.

Special attention is called to the sale announced to come off this morning at 10 o'clock at the auction room of Messrs. Gilman & Young. A lot of magnificent furniture is to be sold.

Next Saturday Mooney & Valentine will open their fall stock of millinery. The new stock of dress goods is certainly worth examining. The ladies should certainly call at this house when convenient. M. & V. offer a large line of goods.

A CARD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Will you allow me space in your columns to express my sincere thanks to the passengers on the northern bound train of September 5th, for the badge which they presented to me. While I live I shall retain it not only in remembrance of their kindness but to honor and respect them, and I hope they will accept this as a token of my deepest gratitude.

FRANK SPRAGUE.

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W G Pickett, Prineville, A M Allen, Battle Creek
Jas Urquhart, Napavine, E Poppleton, Monmouth
E N Condit, Astoria, A Hinman, Forest Grove
D M Boone, Oakland, C R Huntington and son.
H L Marston, N Yamhill, Monticello, W T
A S Abercrotby, Jr., Tacoma

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REDUCTION OF PRICES.—From and after this we shall reduce the prices of our first quality crockery and glassware, plated ware, and all goods in our line, at wholesale and retail. Parties about commencing housekeeping, or wishing to replenish goods in that line, will call and examine our stock and prices.

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In porters, O. S. N. Co.'s blk, 54 Front st.
PORTLAND, Sept. 27, 1878.

REMOVAL.—Edwards & Birmingham have removed their stock of furniture to the spacious warerooms over their former place of business in Centennial block, and are opening out a splendid assortment of furniture which they offer at very low prices. Call and be convinced.

Spiritualism (in Portland) at 141 First street. Dr. Walter Hyde, magnetic healer and developing medium, assisted by clairvoyant and test mediums. Sittings daily after 9 A. M. Public seance every evening at 7 o'clock. Admittance to evening seance, 25 cts.

The excellent photo work that Davidson Brothers are turning out proves that while they have much the lowest prices, they do not intend the quality of their pictures to be excelled. They make cards for $1 50, and cabinets for $3 per dozen.

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When you want an excellent photograph, and do not care to pay extortionate prices, go to Frank G. Abell, who does work well and at a reasonable figure. His productions show that he is popular.

THE GEM, ASTORIA.—Connected with Peter Williams's, Astoria, is a Ship Masters' Reading Room, where the latest shipping papers are on file. Also, Homeward and Outward Bound List. Also, Agent for Geo. W. Weidler's Steam Tugs and Lighters. Telegraph Office next door.

Another new lot of ladies' and children's purses of all kinds and prices at Mrs. Jas. Tichnor's, cor. First and Yamhill streets.

Fabre has resumed business opposite the Bank of British Columbia. Call on him.

Girls, you ought to try the new French and Broadway candies at S. L. Stone's.

Fireman's rubber coats—something new and seasonable—at Fishel & Roberts'.

All kinds sewing machines repaired by John Barbey, 32 Yamhill street.

The only cloak house in the city is Harris' Emporium of Fashion.

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First street, bet. Morrison and Alder.

LESSONS IN MUSIC.
MISS M. E. TEST is organizing a Class in Piano Music and will give lessons either at her residence or the homes of pupils. She will take students in any stage of advancement. Beginners will be taught the science and art of music thoroughly and well. Lessons given as often as desired, and at the uniform rate of 75 cents each. Address box 497.

INSANE ASYLUM.

The biennial report of the superintendent of the Oregon State Insane Asylum has been laid on our table. From the report we obtain the following:

The number in the hospital on the 31st of August, 1878, is: State patients, males, 168; females, 67; Private: males, 1; females, 1; total 237.

Those discharged who were cured: State patients, males, 57; females, 19. Private: males, 3; females, 1; total 79. Improved State patients: males, 27; females, 13. Private: males, 1; total 41.

Of the whole number of State and private patients discharged cured: Remained in the hospital less than three months, 37; less than six months, 22; less than nine months, 15; less than twelve months, 5; more than one year, 8.

Of the whole number of State and private patients discharged improved: Remained in the hospital less than three months, 15; less than six months, 9; less than 9 months, 8; less than twelve months, 1; over twelve months, 7.

Of one hundred and seventy-eight persons, State patients, admitted during the biennial period, the forms of the diseases were:

Acute mania, 16; chronic mania, 18; melancholia, 9; dementia, 11; idiocy, 9; recurrent mania, 2; epilepsy, 4; general paralysis, 1; not insane, 1.

The highest number of State patients under treatment at the hospital at one time during the past two years was 24. The lowest number during the same period was 211.

The whole number of State patients under treatment was: Males, 230; females, 111.

The highest number of State patients under treatment at any one time was: Males, 177; females, 70.

The lowest number under treatment at any one time was: Males, 152; females, 57.

Of the whole number of patients in the hospital 12 have ceased to consider, 4 incurable, 77 curable, and 37 household.

Since the last biennial report 35 males and 11 females have died.

Eight private patients have been received since the last report, 6 of whom have been discharged, 1 died and 1 remains in the institution.

Property Values in Washington.

The auditor of Washington territory furnishes the following statement of assessments of property in the several counties for the year 1878:

COUNTIES.	Personal Property	Real Property.	Total.
Chehalis	$83,519	220,599 00	293,918 00
Clallam	76,803	55,469 00	132,962 00
Clarke	340,281	528,892 00	869,173 00
Columbia	1,07 1,752	506,852 00	1,578,604 00
Cowlitz	165,980	585,220 00	750,200 00
Island	14,151	23,100 00	37,251 00
Jefferson	112,729	279,290 00	392,019 00
King	702,617	1,540,287 00	2,242,904 00
Kitsap	555,923	451,187 45	989,780 45
Klickital	431,357	125,756 00	570,113 00
Lewis	19,2,781	375,865 00	658,897 00
Mason	57,998	305,080 00	363,138 00
Pacific	248,159	143,021 00	391,180 00
Pierce	817,530	919,267 00	1,736,797 00
San Juan	135,386	20,983 00	156,368 00
Skamania			117,519 00
Snohomish	122,037	208,382 00	330,219 00
Stevens	330,301	11,351 00	341,652 00
Thurston	704,762	948,089 00	1,652,848 00
Wahkiakum	102,692	32,836 50	135,528 50
Whatcom	225,167	396,935 00	622,102 00
Whitman	740,142	189,731 00	929,873 00
Walla Walla	1,504,400	1,936,610 00	$3,741,010 00
Yakima	470,032	119,553 00	589,585 00
Total			$18,607,964 98

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It purifies the blood, removes all scrofula, sores, pimples on the face, &c., &c.

To females in pregnancy it greatly relieves all nausea and vomiting, cleansing and purifying the blood, giving a brilliancy and beauty of complexion.

Take it home to your families—give it to the little ones when they are cross, bilious or feverish; it will help them. Take it yourself when suffering from liver complaint, kidney disease or dyspepsia. For sale at every drug store in Oregon.

Don't shake yourself to pieces with Ague and burn up with Fever when you can prevent and cure it by using the great Oregon Remedy, The Willamette Fever and Ague Mixture!

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OREGON.

Phœnix wants a tin shop.

Cattle buyers are taking up stock in Southern Oregon.

The Ashland academy is prospering beyond precedent.

The rain storm has been of great benefit to Jackson county.

Telegraph line repairers are at work in Jackson and Douglas counties.

A great many immigrants are coming west and from California. Running away from drouth.

The Ashland *Tidings* comes this week greatly enlarged in size and improved in matter and "make up."

The farmers near Ashland are cutting their second crop of hay, and it promises to turn off about as much hay as it did the first cutting.

A man named Johnson, at work for Nicolai near Rainier, while clearing out a road the other day had the misfortune to cut off his foot just back of the toes.

It is said that scalawags are soliciting contributions for yellow fever sufferers in different parts of the state, and appropriating the money to their own use. Look out for them.

In Weston the people are at their wits' end on the water question. The creek is dry, the wells are nearly so, and never has there been such a scarcity of water at that place before.

A number of new dwellings are going up in Ashland, and others are waiting for our overworked carpenters to commence them. There is not a single house to let in that town.

The state inspector's report of Massachusetts shows that in 1877 there were 41,850 births; 12,258 marriages; and 31,316 deaths. Of the deaths, 5,477 were due to consumption; 2,634 to diphtheria; 1,972 to pneumonia; 1,972 to cholera infantum, and 1,380 to old age.

Thurlow Weed is engaged in the rather unprofitable task of figuring up how the slaves might have been peacefully emancipated by purchase at a cost much less than that of the national debt that grew out of the war.

Mr. Gladstone predicts that the census of 1880 will show the American republic to be the wealthiest of nations.

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Challa—285 shs $70 68, 67 68
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Jacket—1085 shs $30 31½ 31, 31
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Jackson—755 shs $15
Leopard—100 shs $1 20
Belmont—100 shs $4¾
Gila—1210 shs 40c, 30
Bell—125 shs $10½, 10¾
Bussey—100 shs 40c
Defrees—200 shs 30c
Manhattan—620 shs 95¢
Prize—195 shs $5¾
Argenta—100 shs 60¾
Endowment—500 shs $1½
Navajo—900 shs $1 60 1 55
Independence—850 shs $3 10 3
Star—200 shs 90c
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SUMMERS DOWN.

Brown are the leaves of the maples show
Motionless held in the languid air
Faster by waysides the sweetbriers grow
Wide bloom laying their gold heart bare
Languishing one by one
Summer is almost done

Deeper hue roses have long since died
Silent the birds through the white months lie
Dwarfed the lilies by hot suns dried
Cover with pale fleece vines growing high
Little brooks clearer run
Summer is almost done

Later the fresh frosts creeps
In the return of the slow coming cold
The twilight is
Cast in before its hour
Cricket in mute song
Summer is almost done

PEOPLE AND THINGS

The poet Longfellow pays an admiring tribute to Jenny Lind in a letter to Charles Dickens

Col Hay has written a poem called At Cpt Vedi which will be published in Nov York

Stockton receives hundreds of letters from men wishing to accompany him on his next expedition to Africa

Mr Millard Fillmore widow of President Fillmore heads a subscription list at Buffalo for yellow fever sufferers with $100

I have seven daughters and Mr Tilden is not so much as one wife I hope never to call Democratic statesmen persecution presidents—Saratoga Mamma

Ex Governor Curtin hopes to be U S ator from Pennsylvania next term Nast holds the balance of power in the legislature to be chosen this fall

The fall theatrical season sets in with abounding vigor in the eastern cities When the players are well bestowed the country is prosperous Chicago has 18 theaters in full blast

The cotton crop this year will fall not far short of 6000 bales which will bring to the states $300 000 000 of cotton money to plantation and levies New York cuts out of debt

St Louis *Globe Democrat* The Democrats of Missouri will please prepare to vote for Ben Butler for president It will go mighty hard with them, but it looks as it would have to do it

Tennyson is an incessant smoker He uses a clay pipe of the old fash in with stem a yard long and smokes common Virginia pig tail tobacco He never uses a pipe a second time

It is greatly to the credit of Vicksburg and New Orleans that the public were promptly notified when no further contributions were required for those cities Such a notification inspires confidence that whatever has been sent for their relief was properly applied

The Plague.

[From the New York Sun

The decision to send occupation by Eng and of Cyprus has drawn public attention to the plague which prevails in that land and throughout the Levant generally We are apt to think of the plague as of the leprosy as a disease of the past and yet it rages more or less every year in the East and the Europeans, notably the English are comparatively exempt from it when residing in the Levant from their superior cleanliness better habits and love of fresh air The plague last visited England in 1665 but as late as 1720 it destroyed nearly half the population of Marseilles and seventy years after appeared in Russia and Poland Since then it has been almost wholly unknown in Western Europe The plague of the Levant is virtually the same malignant contagious fever which under the name of the black death, proved such an awful scourge in the fourteenth century In China alone 13 000 000 are reported to have been swept away by the pestilence in the east of the last well nigh 24 000 000 in Europe 2o,000 000, and in Africa 6,000 000 or 7 000 000 making a mortality not far from 70 000 000 Animals perished as well as men by millions the earth was black and horrible with agony, terror and decay Death was on sea as well as on land ships drifted aimless over the ocean the crews dead and putrefying on board, and carrying infection and death in turn to the shores on which the winds or tides happened to cast the pestiferous vessel The imagination is appalled at the hideous picture The fearful mortality gave rise to other shuddering evils Superstition became rife the Jews were everywhere slaughtered on suspicion of poisoning the wells—12 000 of these innocent people were cruelly murdered in Mentz alone many sacrificing themselves in masses to avoid the fury of the mob, and in some places being exterminated to the last man woman and child Thousands of people died of sheer the ties of kindred were dissolved by terror mothers forsook their plague stricken children the worldly became monomaniacs on the subject of sects bands of wild devotees roamed through Europe with crucifixes banners and iron pointed thongs scourging themselves, with the idea of expiating the wickedness of the people and appeasing heaven by their sufferings Humanity underwent a total revolution, society became disorganized, the planet was delivered over to chaos terror superstition, crime, ruin, pestilence and death Fortunately for the race such terrible scenes will never be witnessed again

Thackeray on Douglas Jerrold

[Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun

I had often listened to men of letters describe Paris literary life Thackeray on one occasion was most entertaining on the subject A Baltimorean gave a dinner in London all the wands and three of the guests were from America At that time England was ablaze with the red topic of sectaries from Oxford and other resources The numerous guests to this dinner were men of the original and graceful pen, and the topic of the day interested them At this moment I can recall them all to view, and their names mark the literature of the age Thackeray came in rather late—indeed we had been waiting for him He sat *ma tasa* to Douglas Jerrold who, in his little figure and his wiry dishevelled hair and thin voice contrasted strongly with 'Michael Angelo Fitzmarsh, as he was then known to the outer world

'I say, Thackeray,' said Jerrold, "I hear you boo, are about to turn a Roman' Thackeray calmly responded I hope I will commence in my nose To those who have seen the great satirist and will remember the broken feature of his face this retort will be at once appreciated

Thackeray told stories of Paris literary life, Dickey Doyle sketched characters well known in Paris, then not the least of whom was that charming humorist, the late "Father Front 'Gilbert a Becket' told jokes of Paris life, and John Leech gave us portraits of Gavarni and "Cham" on the back of the *menu* Horace Mayhew told a capital anecdote about that veteran of the pen, now I believe, in Pennsylvania, Dr Shelton Mackenzie Charles Kean described Dion Boucicault as a small boy just as if he ever was a large one' Mark Lemon twitted old Cruikshank about his soup locks, and finally the question became general, Where is the Grub street' of Paris!' 'Why, there is no Grub street in Paris," said Saia, "France has not allowed literature to come down to the slums Thus last night, when I asked a journalist where could I find material for a penograph of the poor authors of Paris, he contemptuously replied, "In London."

The loss by fire which occurred at Boise City on the 16th inst, says the *States man*, will reach about $3,000 $1,250 for each building, and $500 for the furniture. Mr. Shaw is the heaviest loser, Gerrecht, second and Dr Wright third.

Walla Walla recently had an increase of three doctors, two lawyers and three preachers in one day.

KING COUNTY FAIR

SECOND ANNUAL INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION— GOOD DISPLAY ON THE FIRST DAY—CLOSING ADDRESS BY JUDGE BURKE — MAGNITUDE OF A RAILROAD INTERESTS—HON SPENCER IS THE RAILROAD MAN—ETC

SEATTLE W T Sept 26 18—

The second annual exhibit of the King County Industrial Association commenced yesterday under the excellent supervision of Mr C H Hanford president Roswell Sturtevant Managing committee of the day Mrs Deborah Brown chairman Mrs John Leary secretary

Yesterday all was chosen as the place of exhibition and was quite tastefully arranged for the occasion and all departments of industry toward the close of the day the whole pavilion made a pleasing impression on the beholders mind as being well the collected evidences of a prosperous and prosperity

CLASS I—AGRICULTURE AND ETC

The exhibition in this department was rather meagre, owing to the backwardness of the season Most remarkable for cereal productions or extensive flour mills We noticed some remarkably fine looking oats corn and seed

CLASS II—VEGETABLES

Under the head the display was very satisfactory shocked Beets mangel wurzel roots by Mr J H Bennett of What com weighed 2 feet in length and inches in diameter Specimens of mush melons cabbage etc, crowded this department and as usual the spectator felt that the Puget Sound country could raise more good things than almost any market in the world

CLASS VII—MANUFACTURES

We were surprised at the exhibition in this department Mr Geo C Wonder, and Hall U P is exhibited from their manufactory a number of tastefully splendid sets of bedroom furniture desks etc all made of native wood of surpassing excellence and finish Messrs Cooper & Stillstad undertakers' habiliments of casket and coffins of beautiful finish We noticed two bracket shelves made with a pen knife which showed skill in the workman beyond measurement Specimens of marble work brick etc, were noticeable for beauty and skill

CLASS VIII—NATURAL HISTORIES

In this division we expected to see a finer display of native coals, ores and stones etc than appeared There were some excellent specimens of slate clays and brick but nothing as extensive as should have appeared

CLASS IX—DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES

The exhibition in this department was quite full and in every respect was creditable We have no room to notice the names even of the beautiful specimens on exhibition

CLASS X—FANCY GOODS

Here too in the embroidery, crime work, crochet pictures and millinery work there was a vast deal to be admired How the committee could decide as to the premiums was the difficult conundrum

XI—ART

Of photographs there were splendid collections from city galleries From Puget Sound Business College and from the University there were fine specimens of penmanship and drawing Of oil paintings The Holy Father Pope Leo XIII Mrs D Spaulding Peter Mr Bagley and others attracted much attention

XII—MUSIC

There was quite a dearth in this department only one piano being on exhibition Its musical qualities were fairly tested by the vocal powers of young ladies who sat in succession before it to Mr W H Humphrey This evening the contest comes off with the youthful players under 10, to at 1.0 years of age

CLASS XIII—PLANTS AND FLOWERS

We noticed one large glass case of ferns and flowers an ornithology of prairie feathers, 14 feet in circumference a bouquet of cut flowers fuchsias geraniums cauliflowers etc

CLASS XIV—MISCELLANEOUS

Under this head we mention a collection of shells from San Diego by J H Thoeltz a case of wines by L B Marquess the premiums in silverware etc F W Wild's case of hardware patent mode for sawing staves and washing machine The tanger by Wm Catching As the names generally were not attached to the various articles before the awards of premiums we cannot give them The exhibition compared well with last year, and but for the rain might have been far better

At 7 30 o'clock P M the opening address was delivered by Judge Burke Without even notes before him, the speaker in an off hand popular style entertained the large audience for nearly an hour with an address replete with instruction encouragement and warning to all His opening remarks were of a congratulatory style He alluded with sadness to the devastation of the farming interests in other sections of the country by grasshoppers then by storms, and now by the wasting pestilence where the only harvest is death Freed from all these with never failing crops and general good health, the farmers of Washington territory have great reason for thankfulness and contentment

Few have any just conception of the magnitude of the farming interests of our nation Of persons engaged in all occupations in 1870 there were 12 505 923. Of these 3 922 471 were engaged in agriculture The number of acres of improved land that year were 188 921,099 The cash value of exports was $700 000 000 The cash value of farms was $0 232 803 861 The cash value of farm productions and betterments of all descriptions was $2,447 538 658 Of implements used the cash value was $336 678 459 The total amount of wages paid in one year on farms was $310 286 263 These figures in themselves, or when compared with similar statistics taken in England, France or other countries, impress the attentive mind with the vastness of the farming interests of the United States

Having stated these things, Judge Burke called attention to the legislation of the national government in behalf of these interests, as in the donation, homestead and pre-emption laws, but was particularly severe in showing up the unjustness of the country in behalf of lobbyists and monopolists to the detriment of the agricultural interests of the nation Railroads were good things but it was not right to take the lands which had been opened up under the above laws for the occupancy of and cultivation by actual settlers, and lock them up in the hands of railroad companies, or exact double the ordinary government price per acre The course pursued by the Union Pacific and North Pacific railroad companies was pointed out as particularly antagonistic to the farming interests of the nation The lands should all have been kept open for settlement or entry at the ordinary price of $1 25 per acre, and the proceeds of sales if deemed best given to the encouragement of railroad extension and construction

The address was concluded with appropriate moral instruction to farmers which was the application to all classes In three days fall agencies there were ten visitors and from all parts of the territory a total wreck Following the opening address to Mr Atkinson on the first day and was loudly encored How very few enemies a man has to hoot and jeer at when he is down

A large barn belonging Mr Moore was destroyed The building was filled with hay and about 300 bushels of oats all of which burned in common

Mr Harris lost about 1 000 bushels of oats which were in the field

Mr D I Hollis lost a large quantity of hay which were stored in a building

Several outbuildings were destroyed

The road was filled with fallen timber and it required five days to clear out the obstructions

A man named Doty who lives down the bay had his house and barn destroyed Both buildings and contents were consumed

Frank Morey who lives on the Miami lost his house He was absent at the time and returning found the dwelling in flames He only had time to save a few articles of clothing

The road leading to Yantis is filled with fallen timber which will require much time to remove It is quite probable that the road will not be cleared and the bridge repaired across Tillamook River before next spring

THE PROPOSED RESERVATION

RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY CITIZENS OF YAKIMA IN OPPOSITION TO SETTING APART THE INDEPENDENT FOR CHIEF MOSES

At a public meeting of the citizens of Yakima City W T held on the 17th inst for the purpose of expressing an expression of the people in said vicinity as to the late treaty or proceedings of General Howard with Chief Moses the following resolutions were adopted as the sense of the meeting unanimously

Resolved That the citizens of Yakima Co W T in mass meeting assembled do enter to the government their earnest and serious protest against the proposed reservation for Chief Moses as described and bounded by Brigadier General O O Howard dom mander Department of Columbia

1st Because said proposed reserve deprives the settlers of a large amount of grazing lands

2d Because no well defined lines mark the boundaries of said reserve thereby creating continued conflict with whites and Indians in regard to stock trespassing on each others lands

3d Because instead of causing a general peace to prevail said reserve will engender strife and bloodshed

4th Because this is a stock country and large bands of settlers horses and cattle are now and for years have been accustomed to graze and feed on said lands, and if the same are set apart as a reserve and the Indians permitted to occupy the same will incur great loss to our people

5th Because if said reserve is established our country will be bounded on the north east and south by Indian reserves and on the west by the Cascade range, thereby preventing any outlet to the ocean via the Columbia river only as trespass upon Indian domain exclusively

We also take this opportunity to express our gratitude to General Howard for the prompt manner in which he responded to the call of our citizens in time of danger and the interest manifested in our behalf

6th Whereas The Yakima reservation comprises a body of valuable lands twenty five by seventy five miles and capable of supporting a population of twenty thousand and

Whereas There are not more than one hundred and fifty Indian farmers who actually reside upon and cultivate this vast body of land while the majority of Father Whites Indians roam at will and are wholly engaged in the chase Therefore

Resolved That we O O Howard be requested to use his influence to our said reservation to settlement by the whites subject to the rights of the above named Indian farmers and that the government of the Indians be placed in the hands of the army

7th *Resolved* That in our opinion the present reservation system is a failure and a curse

8th *Resolved* That Gen O O Howard be requested to forward for the action of the department the proceedings of this meeting

Resolved That the secretary furnish THE OREGONIAN and Gen Howard each a copy of these proceedings, and that THE OREGONIAN be requested to publish the same

A committee of three W L L Boyle D W Starr and J A Hunt were appointed to draft a petition and circulate the same in this county for signers expressive of the sense of the people on Indian affairs in said county

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

J W HAMBLETON Ch
J W MASTERS Secy

GEN HOWARD'S ANSWER

HEADQUARTERS DEPT OF THE COLUMBIA
FORT VANCOUVER W T Sept 20 1
Messrs G W Parish M Pease and *15 others* GENTLEMEN—Your petition dated Lillensburg W T Sept 19 1878 is received and contents noted

I think a misunderstanding exists with regard to any arrangement or treaty that I have entered into with Chief Moses and his people I had not the power to so enter into any arrangement that would amount to a treaty After having met Moses at his request and according to my promise, I exacted from him three things

First—That he and his people should preserve the peace

Second—Look up the murderers and surrender them if in their midst

Third—Report to Mr Miller and put in the way of restoration any stock or other property stolen from the whites and in their possession

Then I simply received their request through Moses and Homily for a reservation and promised to forward it with my recommendations concerning it I then gave Moses permission to go and select a tract of land not to exceed 12 miles at random west of the river because we could find nobody to put in words an accurate description of the Indians request

The notice was simply intended to prevent speculations

I agree with you as to the danger of collision if the boundary line goes where there will have to be common pasturage certainly I should not favor Moses having what he never claimed or asked for I will recommend substantially as you suggest though I do think it will be better for your people to let Moses have that portion of the country which he has been accustomed to cultivate near the mouth of the Weenatchee

It would produce unhappy consequences to take from Moses the land which he has long had and most desires With this exception I think there will be no disagreement between us I shall provide against the outbreak anticipated by some of your citizens by sending a force to your valley as early as may be necessary in the spring I am gentlemen very respectfully your obedient servant,

O O HOWARD

HDQRS DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA
FORT VANCOUVER Sept 28 1878
J M Martin Esq, Secretary Public Meeting held at Yakima, W T, Sept 17, 1878—SIR The resolutions of your meeting are at hand My answer has been given, in substance in a letter which explains itself, copy inclosed Very respectfully yours, O O HOWARD,
Brig. Gen. Commanding Department

For an elegant Ladies' suit or cloak go to Harris Emporium of Fashion.

FIRES AT TILLAMOOK

From a gentleman who arrived from Tillamook a few days ago we learn the following facts concerning the ravages of forest fires in that section

The fire raged fiercely for about one week during which time it passed over a large section of country and destroyed considerable property

A large tree had fallen and fall across the bridge which spans the Tillamook river ershed it and with the bridge to the ground, to Mr Atkinson on the north

A total wreck Following the burning and was fortunately lost well However the enormous exertions to which all effects were saved

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BROWN'S BEAT THING.

PORTLAND Sept 27 18—

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Senator Brown has introduced a bill in the which contemplates the creation in each county of the state where the same shall be required of the office of scaler of logs, whose duty is to scale logs for the mills and for which service, he is to receive ten cents per thousand for the first hundred thousand feet in each raft and seven cents per thousand feet for each remaining quantity in each raft Now take Multnomah county and let us see how this thing would work The mills of Multnomah county cut at a low estimate thirty million of feet per year At an average of eight cents per thousand feet a low average the scaler for this county under this bill would receive $2 400 per annum for service which would not require over thirty days time A fat thing truly Mr Brown Now I want to ask What have the mill men of Oregon ever done that they should be treated differently from other business men Why does not Mr Brown propose to appoint a weigher between every grocery man and his customer and a surveyor of timber between the mill men and carpenters, as well as a scaler of logs between the mill men and loggers? This bill is based on the hypothesis that all mill men are dishonest and now I want to ask Mr Brown if he is sure that his scalers won't dishonest men that they would not scale high ago not a mill man for whom they had a grudge, and I for a mill man who would tickle their palms The mill men of Oregon have managed to transact their own business until now and are able I assure Mr Brown to do the same for all time to come LUMBERMAN

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DAY MORNING OCTOBER 1 1

WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIR

HILLSBORO Sept 2 18

Fifth Day

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SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 1 1878

WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIR

HILLSBORO, Sept. 27 1878

Fifth Day.

The change in the weather put a damper on the attendance of the day and it was certainly damp enough for the courageous few who dared the elements. The concluding part of the day were worthy of the preceding five parts in point of entertainment. The distribution of awards was promptly attended to the finest display of racing stock ever seen in the county was made, and the premiums awarded to horses outside of racing circles were very few and far between. The racing did not cause so much stir among the people as usual, but there was not less interest than the previous days. Reed's stables were well represented, and his fine blooded animals were the center of attraction. Still his fine blooded animals did not seem to be the terror of the contest. His celebrated stallion Hambrino was awarded second as the best horse for all work for four years-olds and upwards, and for all work for four year-olds and up wards he was first in the same class. Reed's two year old was first in the same class. Reed's two year old was first and second best stallion. Reed's two year old was first and second best stallion. Reed's two year old was first and second best stallion

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MONDAY MORNING, 8

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Silver—98 buy, 98¾ sell.

Trade Dollars—95 buying, 97

New York Sept 28—11 A. M. Silver bullion 1,000 fine, $1 2

U. S. bonds, 5 20s of 1867, 106¾

LONDON, Sept 28 — Consols 94¾ account

Silver—English standard, per oz.

U. S. bonds—6's 1081/; 4½'s 1

San Francisco Produce an kets.

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Wheat—Market weak and expecting lower prices, but no l for better prices. Milling, C extra choice $1 65@1 67½, extra to extra choice, $1 62½@ Walla ex City of Chester, sold a was offered for all, but was wa

Flour—Market quiet.

Barley—Market more active, l

Oats—Market active but at Oregon sold as follows: Surpr $1 32½, good clean but light, 5

Potatoes—Heavy receipts, ba sweets are dearer, quotable at

ATLANTIC MARK

CHICAGO Sept. 27—Wheat—O @90¾c per bushel.

NEW YORK, Sept 27—Wheat— Wool—Quiet, holders firm, no supply.

English Wheat M

LONDON, Sept. 27—3 P M. about 3@6d cheaper; cargoes prompt shipment, very heavy; slow.

Quotations of good cargoes, o sea damage for seller's accour cent. commission: Med. Ch. 60; red winter, 42s@42s 6; Calif shipping wheat, fair average sage, per 100 lbs, Queenstown ped. 46s; nearly due, 48s; C ment during present month an 45s 6d, Am. terms, 33s.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 27.—Wheat White wheats are depressed, w demand for red at the following choice shipping California, pe 2d; fair to choice shipping 10s 2d@10s 5d; red Am. spring, @9s 10d.

English country markets, unc French country markets, firm

Shipping Intell

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PORT MADISON, Sept. 29— Wave, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Sept. 28.—Arrived—I Francisco; 8 s Geo W. Elder, S Sailed—Rival, San Francisco.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 28—Bk San Francisco.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 28—A dala, Yokohama.

PORT GAMBLE, Sept. 28.—Arri San Francisco.

SEATTLE, Sept. 28.—Arrived— RIO JANEIRO, Sept 25.—Clea ish Landles, for Portland, Or.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28—Ar hoe, Sydney; Nor sh Fredrici Am — Legal Tender, Cape Sm Panama.

Cleared—Am sh Ellen Munro Br bk Geo Brewley, wheat, Liv Hales, wheat, Marseilles; Am b Port Townsend, for bg Deaux mouth.

Sailed—Am — J. B. Bell, Seatt

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Ophir—1005 shs $83, 85, 84, 81½, Mex—956 shs $89, 90½, 97, 97½, Gou—1020 shs 24 22½, 24½, 2 B & B—1115 shs $36, 35½, Cala—1275 shs 81¼, 14, 14½, 13 Savage—1475 shs $28, 28½, 28½, Con Va—1610 shs 81½, 15½, 16, Chollar—485 shs $20, 69, 67, 66, 6 H & N—1010 shs $33, 32½, 37½, Point—810 shs $10½, 10¾, 11, 10 Jacket—1085 shs $90, 81½, 81, 81 Imperial—7510 shs 81 60, 1 65, Kentuck—830 shs 89, 8½, 8¾, Alpha—1230 shs 82, 30½, 29, 29, Belcher—1255 shs $11¼, 11½, 11 Confidence—360 shs 81 25, 1 Nev—255 shs $250, 251, 258, Utah—415 shs $56 55, 54½, 54, Bullion—5785 shs $20, 21, 22½, 2 Exchequer—2880 shs 9¾, 9, 8¾, Seg Belcher—20 shs $42, Overman—695 shs $24, 23, 23½, Justice—750 shs $10¾, 10¾, 10, Succor—150 shs $2¼, Union—520 shs $180, 185, 190, 19 Alta—1650 shs 17, 16¾, 16¾, 16 Lady Bryan—460 shs $4, 4¾, 4 Julia—1065 shs $6¾, 7, 6¾, 7, Caledonia—785 shs 8¾, 6¾, 6¾, Baltimore—50 shs $8, Dayton—150 shs 50c, Occidental—50 shs $1, N Y—125 shs $2¼, 2 90, Phil Sheridan—210 shs $2¾, 2¾, Valley—1250 shs 40c, R & E—85 shs $8, En Con—415 shs $48, 45, Jackson—765 shs $15, Leopard—100 shs $1 20, Belmont—100 shs $4¾, Gila—1210 shs 40c, 39c, Bell—125 shs 10¾, 10¼, Hussey—100 shs 43c, Defrees—200 shs 30c, Manhattan—620 shs 9¾, Prize—155 shs 8¾, Argenta—100 shs $8¾, Endowment—550 shs $1¼, Navajo—300 shs $1 60, 1 55, Independence—350 shs $8 10, 3, Star—200 shs 90c, Tuscarora—100 shs 10c, Endowment—140 shs $1 45, Bell Isle—1600 shs 50c, High Bridge—1000 shs $2, Modoc—50 shs 30c, Bodie—225 shs 23¾, 23¼, 23, 23 Bechtel—20 shs $1 85,

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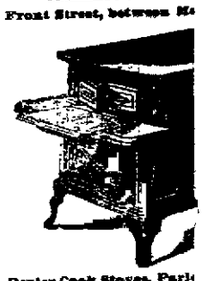

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 1, 1878.

TIME TO CALL A HALT.

SALEM, Sept. 28, 1878.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Several bills have already been introduced in both houses, granting aid for internal improvements, such as narrow gauge railroads, &c. From the activity of certain noted lobbyists it is fair to presume that others, "more feasible, more practicable and more in the interest of the people," will soon follow. Some of these bills have come to my notice, particularly the bills of White, of Umatilla, and Senator Bradshaw, I believe of Yamhill. The preamble of these bills are somewhat remarkable, considering their Democratic origin. Mr. White's bill declares in emphatic terms, "that the 500,000 acre grant had been diverted to the irreducible school fund." Is this statement correct? I had supposed in view of past legislative action that this liberal grant had been diverted *from* the irreducible school fund to the internal improvement fund.

Again this bill asserts, that swamp and overflowed lands "are now wholly unproductive," a truth which might extend to all lands granted to the state. This bill is moderate in its provisions; it only requires the *whole* proceeds of the swamp and overflowed lands, the *whole* of the five per cent. fund derived from sales of public lands, and the whole of the proceeds of sales of tide lands.

Modesty alone prevented the author of this bill from including the whole of the 500,000 acre grant as well as school and university.

Three hundred thousand dollars, in bonds drawing 7 per cent, is a small sum, considering that we have so many acres of valuable lands, from which this insignificant sum can soon be realized, and the bonds redeemed.

To capture all these lands for a few narrow gauge railroads, without considering for a moment what disposition has already been made of them, I regard as unwise and will surely bring financial ruin.

The bill of Senator Bradshaw, if I am not very much mistaken, "gushes and enthuses" over the vast sum now lying idle in the treasury vaults, or will soon be paid in; and provides for a free and generous distribution of the proceeds of these lands—particularly, so far as certain railroads are concerned. Mr. Senator Bradshaw has occupied a prominent position in politics—is one of the leaders of the dominant party and ought to know that these munificent grants have been the zone of contention for the past eight years; that his own vote stands recorded as favoring large expenditures from the funds derived from the sale of these lands, and that the state has already created liabilities which can never be liquidated, without resorting to other means outside the proceeds of these funds.

This may seem to be rather bold to his declare; and for the faith that is in me, permit me to submit a few statements compiled from official reports. I court a critical examination by all concerned, citizens and legislators, as well as anxious, patient suffering lobbyists.

State Land Fund.

TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Amount received in 1872		$103,333 76
" " 1874	45,140 48	
" " 1875	20,050 00	
" " 1878	21,438 75	$189,998 08

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid principal lock bonds	$40 000 00	
" interest	78,572 00	
" Gilfry, Hackleman etal. clerical aid	11 463 88	
Gen'l expenses management	23,160 70	
Discount legal tenders sold	6 041 50	
Disbursements reported in 1878	26 486 35	$186,724 55
Balance in treasury		$3,273 53

Five Per Cent Sales of Public Lands.

RECEIPTS.

Amount received in 1872		$13 306 03
" " 1874	5,226 86	
" " 1876	1 719 63	
" " 1878	4 991 58	$25,2 5 09
Total disbursed as per official reports during same period		20,9 5 19
Balance in treasury		$4,2 8 46

TIDE LANDS.

Amount received in 1874		$3,025 75
" " 1876	1,759 70	
" " 1878	1,261 27	$6,046 72
Total am't disbursed as per official reports		$5,063 89
Balance in treasury		$ 980 83

SWAMP LANDS.

Amount received in 1874		$ 5 607 50
" " 1876	275 00	
" " 1878	14 269 50	$20,11[illegible] 80
Am't disbursed as per official reports		$18,371 92
Balance in treasury		$ 1,741 78

RECAPITULATION—RECEIPTS.

Total State Land Fund receipts	$189,998 08
Total 5 per cent. Public Land Sales	25,2[illegible] 65
Total Tide Land Sales	6,046 72
Total Swamp Land Sales	20,11[illegible] 80

From all Funds during eight years $241,401 75

DISBURSEMENTS.

Total disbursed from state land funds		$186 72[illegible] 55
" " " 5 pc sales public land fund	20,98 19	
" " " Tide land fund	5,06 89	
" " " Swamp land fund	18,37 52	
Total disbursed during a period of eight years		$231 14[illegible] 15

BALANCES IN THE TREASURY OF ALL FUNDS

State lands	$3,273 53
5 p c sales public lands	4 258 46
Tide lands	980 83
Swamp lands	1,741 78
The liabilities of the state payable out of the proceeds of these lands are reported by ex-Gov. Chadwick as amounting in the aggregate to $298 000. Of this sum $100,000 (lock bonds) draw interest at 7 per cent, per annum, amounting in two years to	$22,400 00
Wagon road warrants are reported outstanding $188 600 at 10 per cent. interest amounting in two years to	27,72[illegible] 00
Interest accruing biennially	$50,120 00
Total income from all land funds during past ten years	41,942 40
Actual deficiency on interest alone	$ 8 177 60

Let us go back two years, during the biennial period of 1874 and 1876, and see how the account stands:

Official reports show receipts as follows	
Total receipts State Lands	$20,660 09
Total receipts five per cent. Fund	1,719 63
Total receipts Tide Land	1,739 70
Total receipts Swamp Land	275 00
Total from all sales	$23,814 42
From which we are required to pay interest on $160,000 Lock Bonds at 7 per cent.	$22,400 00
$109,000 on Wagon Road Warrants at 10 per cent	21,800 00
	$44,200 00
Leaving an actual deficiency in interest alone during this period of	$20,385 58
Deficiency from 1876 to 1878	8,177 60
Total deficiency during past four years	$28,563 18

Now the average citizen ought to know that the lock bonds mature January 1st, 1880; that the interest is due and payable semi-annually, and that the faith of the state is pledged for the prompt payment of interest as it accrues and principal at maturity. I own no bonds or warrants of any description or character, but as a tax payer would submit to those exercising legislative, power, that it would be well to give this matter careful consideration before granting any aid, directly or indirectly, to any corporation already organized or to be hereafter organized, at least, until it has been definitely ascertained that we, as a state, have some available assets with which we can meet liabilities already created.

The school, university, agricultural college, state, 5 per cent fund, tide and swamp land, have, in my opinion, been frittered away. The funds derived therefrom, have been loaned to favorites, upon inadequate security, and it is to be fervently hoped that our present legislature will make a thorough investigation and devise some means by which these several funds may be protected and secured.

R. E. TRENCHMENT.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

SALEM, Sept. 30, 1878.

The members are taking matters very easy, at least most of them. The adjournment on three successive Fridays over to Monday afternoon shows more deliberation of motive than of mind. It is true that some of the committees, notably those on judiciary, education, commerce, and ways and means, could find plenty to do in furthering the work in hand, but not many of them will do it, but have gone home and left the cares of legislation behind them. So the work will go along in easy routine for another week, and then will follow the state fair; when for ten days the work of legislating and fairgoing will go hand in hand; and when the time is up and the constitutional limit is reached there will be a scramble, to get the appropriation bills passed, enrolled and duly signed, and the pigeon holes will be lumbered with a multitude of unfinished business. There is not so much hurry in that, because there is now on hand more business than the state has any need for, and very little of it needs to be enacted into law.

It don't look very much as if the lobby would accomplish much this session, and yet it is well filled in some particulars. The narrow gauge railroad lobby is on hand, demanding aid in some shape for railroads from Jacksonville to Ellensburg, and from Roseburg to Coos Bay, also Mr. Gast has an idea that the road from Day in should go to Corvallis, via Sheridan, Dallas and other way points, and it would be a fine thing for the west side to see the iron horse rushing upon a narrow gauge along the foothills of the coast range. Swamp lands are supposed to afford the basis for substantial and overall internal improvements Oregon will ever need, and according to the plans and speculations of these applicants there must be millions of acres of them hid away somewhere ready to be produced and disposed of when granted. T. Egerton Hogg, too, is here, no doubt willing to accept swamp land aid for his enterprise that will bring Yaquina bay oysters to Salem when finished, which is probably the reason that Salem people are so anxious for it. Of course, when aid is being granted, the legislature will have to "pool its assets" of swamp land and and pass it around the whole state. The western valleys cannot expect it all, though there will have to be something done for the Long Tom and Siuslaw country; the people of Linn county must have a road to Scio, Lebanon and Brownsville, perhaps even to Crawfordsville and Sweet Home. While Marion county wishes to see Salem united by narrow gauge matrimony to Silverton and Abiqua, and will never feel right towards the swamp land fund if it don't ultimately send a three foot track up the raging Santiam, past the thriving villages of Mehama, brough the Minto—Mount Jefferson pass—to Ochoco, and thence to Salt Lake. Salem is so awful modest that she will be satisfied with that little and with having $500,000 more spent on the state capitol, which, by the by, might be done out of the swamp land fund even if the whole state had to be swamped to do it. But, as Mr. Rhea forcibly said, Marion county is an applicant for nothing—she cannot hope to get.

And when we have finished off Western Oregon with roads, including one to Tillamook, those unreasonable fellows in Eastern Oregon will stand with outstretched hands and gaping pockets, echoing that cumulative cry, that did not begin with Oliver Twist, for "more, more." They will want to cut Wasco county in two, both ways, to circumnavigate the Blue mountains at the expense of Grant, Umatilla, Union and Baker, penetrate the John Day country, scout through Wild Horse and Walla Walla to the state line, push the cold narrow-gauge iron into the heart of Grand Ronde and Powder River valleys, at any risk, and then will wonder if they have got their narrow share.

It is a lively prospect, isn't it? and yet it is not overdrawn, though a trifle highly colored. There will be as much of a deficiency of swamp lands as Lish Applegate said there was of federal offices—not enough to go round, which is greatly to be regretted, as all these railroads are imperatively needed, or will be, and the era of internal improvements is upon us. But leaving this somewhat extravagant view of the subject, that may be construed into hyperbole, it is true that a project is in hand to make use of the swamp lands of the state as an internal improvement fund, and to help some proposed measure out of it. Some such fund will be very handy to have, and these projected roads are much needed.

There must be much important business done this session in the way of changes of existing laws. Some tinkering will be done, and perhaps badly done, but the assessment law will probably remain as it is with all its imperfections on our hands, though almost every other bill introduced relates to it. The subject is too important for trifling action, it needs a botough renovation, and every body knows it, many members are unuformed and cannot act upon it intelligently, because they have never studied it in all its bearings, and the more they look into it the less competent they feel as to their ability to cope with financial problems and questions of revenue that embarrass all the states of the union and nations of the earth. So it is safe to say the law will know no change the present session.

The school law is generally considered a very good one as it is, with some exceptions, and yet there are a number of bills offered to change it. Many object to the school-book monopoly, and some want school to be kept six months in all districts where there are 40 pupils; but the law as it stands gives fair satisfaction and no important change will be made.

A bill is presented that I am surprised to find meets with so much favor, that requires all road taxes to be paid in money, and the same to be expended to the best advantage under direction of the county court. Some oppose it, but some of the rarest sensible farmer members say the present road law is insufficient and go earnestly for a road tax in money. Anybody who travels Oregon roads in an average winter will see the point.

So far no partisanship has disturbed the harmony of legislative proceedings, and it is to be hoped the cloven foot will not leave its mark. Some bills have been introduced looking to interference with the offices of state treasurer and secretary of state, but all the Democrats cannot be induced to do anything ungenerous, merely because these offices are filled by Republicans.

Much complaint is made because the reports of the late secretary, treasurer, and the board of school lands commissioners have not been received. These are in the hands of the ex-state printer, almost ready for distribution, and will no doubt be issued to-morrow, but the session is more than half past and the legislature is in ignorance of the details of government the two years past, and the ways and means committee cannot intelligently prepare estimates for an appropriation bill for two years to come. The difficulty is that the reports have to be brought up to the meeting of the legislature and completed thereafter, and then the printer has to print them with the limited force at his command, hence the delay, which is not the less annoying because in a measure excusable. Some remedy should be devised, if possible, for it is calculated to seriously embarrass the transaction of public business.

When the house reassembles it will probably go into committee of the whole to consider the centennial appropriation bill, and while there is some opposition, the general opinion seems to favor the payment of all necessary expenses that were incurred in making the exhibit presentable; also to recognize the services rendered by Commissioner Dufur and his assistants, Ryan and DeBois, by payment of a small per diem to them for time devoted to that purpose. Some say that Dufur made money by the Exposition, but they don't seem to know when, how or where he made it, and his friends say that the old gentleman's zeal and enthusiasm to make Oregon's advantages and resources known to the world, in which he was so successful, was at the expense of several years' time given by him and consequent loss and injury to his private business.

A bill will be introduced to-morrow, when the house meets, to make provision for the purchase of a body of land near Salem for the location of a state insane asylum. Dr Hawthorne has 400 acres of land that his patients are very glad to cultivate as a relief from their ailment, many of them being used to active labor, and all the better for it. This bill will provide for the levy of a half mill tax, the proceeds of which will be expended in purchasing sufficient land within five miles of Salem, and the erection of substantial buildings thereon. It will take several years for the institution to attain the necessary preparedness, at least four, with what income the state will be willing to spare.

COWLITZ COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican convention of Cowlitz county, W. T., was held at Kalama on the 24th inst. James A. Beak was nominated for joint councilman, Benj. Huntington, representative, Geo H. Pile, joint representative, W. H. Black, A. L. Kincaid and Noyes S. Smith, county commissioners, S. H. Woolsey, probate judge, S. W. Beall, county auditor, Richard S. Carmine, sheriff, H. C. Comegys, treasurer, Peter W. Crawford, county surveyor, John McFarlane, county coroner, and N. H. Bloomfield, S. W. Beall and C. Calphan were elected delegates to the territorial convention to be held at Vancouver on the 9th of October, 1878.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, The Republican party of Cowlitz county recognize in the official record of N. H. Bloomfield, Esq., prosecuting attorney, one which reflects credit on himself and has redounded to the benefit of the people at large, and

WHEREAS, We recognize in his record a careful and economical administration of the duties of his office, and in him a careful and efficient officer; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we do hereby express our confidence in his future official course, and do hereby express it as the wish and choice of the people of this county that he shall again be the nominee of the Republican party for said office of prosecuting attorney, and our delegates in the territorial convention to be held at Vancouver, Oct. 9, 1878, are hereby instructed accordingly.

The following resolution was also introduced by S. W. Beall, Esq., and carried unanimously:

Resolved, By the Republicans of Cowlitz county in convention assembled; that

WHEREAS, The delegates to congress have, for the past ten years, been residents of western Washington territory, the nomination of right belongs this year to the eastern portion of the territory, and that our delegates be instructed to vote in the Vancouver convention for a resident of that portion of the territory, and that S. C. Wingard is our first choice; also,

Resolved, That we, the members of this convention, pledge ourselves to use our best endeavors to secure the election of the entire Republican ticket of this convention; also,

Resolved, That a copy of the proceedings of the Cowlitz county convention be forwarded to THE OREGONIAN and Vancouver *Independent* for publication.

The convention nominated Mrs. Antoinette Huntington for the office of school superintendent, but subsequently finding that she was ineligible, that place on the ticket was left vacant to be filled by the county central committee.

The convention adjourned with three rousing cheers for the Republican party.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30

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AFTERNOON SALES.

Valley—750 shs 50c, 45, Jackson—215 shs $14, 14½, 15, 14¾, En Con—145 shs $45, Phoenix—100 shs 8c, Belmont—620 shs $4¼, 4½, Leopard—220 shs $1 75, 1 82½, Jefferson—300 shs 3, Gila—265 shs 40c, 50 Bella—195 shs $10½, 10¾, Hussey—400 shs 43c, 44, Manhattan—205 shs 8¾, 9, 8, Defrees—1120 shs 30c, 25, Prize—455 shs 8¾, 9, Argenta—1170 shs 34, Navajo—1860 shs 1 55, 1 60, Tuscarora—90 shs 10c, Endowment—870 shs $1½, 1 40, 1 50, Bell Isle—1850 shs 50c, 55, Day—1150 shs 50c, 45, Independence—1870 shs 8, 8½, 9, 8 Prize—10000 shs 10c, Hillside—80 shs 8½, Hamburg—50 shs $2, Paradise—3100 shs $2¼, 2, High Bridge—50 shs $1 90 Coso Con—220 shs $25, Modoc—800 shs $35, 40, Bodie—1230 shs $23, 22½, 23, Bechtel—540 shs $1 90, 1 75, 1 80, 1 85, McClinton—400 shs 80, 90, Trojan—1345 shs 3½, 3 65, 3 60, 3½, Summit—550 shs $1 75, 1 65, Banner—220 shs $13½, 1, Aurora—20 shs $2½, Goodshaw—1800 shs 75c 80 Oriental—1910 shs $2, 1½, 1½, Belvidere—200 shs 9½, Booker—1540 shs 90c, 85, Sitting Bull—615 shs $2¼, 2 10, 2, South Standard—550 shs 65c, 60 Richer—150 shs $1¼, South Battle—1650 shs 80c 85 90 75, Mono—1215 shs $3¼, 4, 3 90, 3½, Rustler—2175 shs 3½, G Chariot—150 shs 40c, White—210 shs $7½, Leads—8700 shs $2½, 2¾, Tip Top—11250 shs $1 80, 1 90, 2, 1 85, S King—150 shs 20c, San Xavier—100 shs $1½, Terra—100 shs $3¼, Star—100 shs 80c Concordia—300 shs 65c Baltimore—50 shs $2, Challenge—900 shs $2¼, 3, 2 70 Dayton—100 shs 45, New York—850 shs $2 2 10, Occidental—140 shs $1, Phil Sheridan—1820 shs $2¾, 2 60, 2 65, 2½, 2 70, Woodville—200 shs 90c, 85, Lady Washington—295 shs 8¾, 8, Kossuth—400 shs 45c, 40 Andes—950 shs $1 65, 1 60, 1½, Con Washoe—800 shs $2 10, 2, Wells Fargo—1975 shs 60c 55 Ward—800 shs 8½, 1 90, Storyton—255 shs $12, 12¼, 12, 12¾, Leviathan—1745 shs 8½, 16½, 1 65, 1 70, Georgia—590 shs $1, N Con Va—535 shs $12, 12½, Lee—100 shs 80c, Monumental—100 shs $15, Prospect—180 shs 85c, North Ophir—320 shs $1 80, 2, Benton—1500 shs 90, 9¾, 9¼, Rough and Ready—120 shs 8½, S Silver—874 shs $3 2¼, 2¾, 2 45, St Louis—1030 shs 75c, 70 Vermont—120 shs 9½, 10, 9¾, 10, North & Nev—1355 shs 90c, 85, N Bonanza—2450 shs 1¼, 1 20, 1 8[illegible], 1 40, S Lady Bryan—1030 shs $1, 1 10, Flowery—100 shs $1 40.

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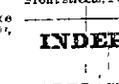

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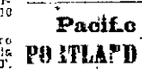

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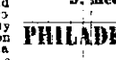

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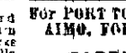

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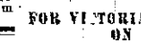

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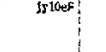

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